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GERMANS HALTED AFTER ALL-DAY BATTLE FOR ARRAS.

American Soldiers are Fighting Like Veterans.

Red, White and Blue.

UNITED STATES TROOPS IN THE SOMME BATTLE.

Auxiliaries on Firing Line are Subject of Much Favorable Comment in the Paris Press.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ARIS, March 28.—"Entirely new is this warfare, the Americans worked like the veterans in the battle of the ...," says a wounded French ..., who has been brought ... from the front, according to ... dispatch.

... of the Americans, officers ... were wounded, were brought ... with the French captain, a ... of the dragoons. Each ... wore a French war cross ... on the battlefield.

... French captain refused to ... attention until the Ameri... alongside him had first been ... "They are the ones who ... be congratulated," he said, ... upon the women of the Red ... to look after the Americans. ... presence of American auxil... on the fighting line in ... battle was the subject of ... favorable comment, and ... became generally known ... wounded American officers and ... were being brought back with ... wounded from the re... of St. Quentin, American ... rose high. The moral effect ... considerable, even though the ... was that the number of ... troops in line was not ... comforting thing to the ... is that recently, whenever ... been hard fighting, the ... have had a share of it, ... a small one, and have ac... themselves creditably.

INCREASED ACTIVITY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 28.—Increased activity continues along the enemy line. Enemy wiring parties have been at work and much traffic has been observed in the rear of St. Baussant, where quantities of iron materials have been unloaded. The road between St. Baussant and enemy areas has been so heavily traveled in the last few nights that deep road ruts now are visible from the American lines.

American 37's fired twenty-five rapid shots into a large enemy work party and scattered the enemy, who left a number of dead on the ground and carried away some wounded. American anti-aircraft guns have driven off numerous airplanes. Enemy batteries have again been subjected to gas shells.

SWEDISH FOOD BOAT READY TO DEPART.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Under an agreement in effect last December between the United States and Sweden for the exporting from this country of certain articles of food and needed supplies for the latter country, a Swedish steamer will leave an Atlantic port soon with the second cargo exported under the agreement, it was learned here today.

The ship has been held in American waters by the embargo regulations since last June. The cargo on board has been designated by government agents and carefully inspected, and is consigned to the Swedish government.

Probabilities.

MAY EXPEL SLACKERS.

New Uproar in the Senate.

"Oust La Follette," is Cry Heard for the First Time in the Chamber.

Williams Offers His Vote to Unseat All "Lukewarm" Lawmakers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Reading from Wisconsin newspapers today regarding the Senatorial campaign, Senator Williams, Democrat, of Mississippi, said:

"That, of course, refers to Senator La Follette, who ought to be expelled from this body."

This was the first declaration ever made in the open Senate for expulsion of the Wisconsin Senator.

Senator Williams also declared Victor Berger, Socialist candidate in Wisconsin, ought to be interned.

READS CLIPPINGS.

After reading part of the newspaper clippings, Senator Williams asked leave to print a part without reading, but Senator Fall of New Mexico, Republican, objected, and the Mississippi Senator proceeded with his reading, interjecting:

"What I want to enforce on the Republican minority is that this country is no longer composed of Republicans and Democrats, but of patriots and luke-warm patriots or pro-Germans on the other side. Politics has dropped into innocuous desuetude. I am talking with the partisan bias of a pro-American."

PRO-GERMAN BERGER.

Reading from a reference in his clippings to Berger, the Mississippi Senator shouted:

"Berger—the Socialist, pro-German, pacifist candidate. Here are men so false to America, so false to civilization, that they will vote for Berger, who is under indictment now for pro-German utterances—a man who ought to be interned today."

After reading another article in which Lenroot was urged to withdraw, Senator Williams declared 100,000 persons in Wisconsin voted in the recent primary whose chief claim to the right of suffrage lay in their opposition to America and "their love for the Kaiser."

PARTISANSHIP.

"And yet, Mr. President," he said, addressing the presiding officer, "when you and I object to that we are accused of partisanship."

No American should be allowed to hold office on a plurality vote, he believed, and urged a rule requiring a candidate to have a majority of votes before being eligible to office.

In concluding, Senator Williams said:

"There is no Democrat or Republican party here any more. There is a loyally pro-American party and a party which is pro-German or lukewarm in its Americanism. I will vote to expel from this body any man who has not been true or has been lukewarm."

The Senate then proceeded to consider an appropriation bill.

DEBATE.

During the debate which followed and continued intermittently most of the day, Republican Senators defended Mr. Lenroot, while Senators Reed of Missouri, Ashurst of Arizona, and Owen of Oklahoma, Democrats, deplored partisan division at such a time.

Senator Smoot of Utah, Republican, who attacked President Wilson yesterday for alleged partisanship, read a letter stating that Joseph E. Davies, Democratic candidate in Wisconsin, "had skipped to Chicago" when a conference was called to consider withdrawal of himself or Mr. Lenroot to insure a loyalty victory.

Senator Ashurst said the debate was "miserable twaddle" and in a plea for harmony and unit in the war, Senator Reed contrasted the critical situation in France with the Senate's attention to the "miserable little political contest in Wisconsin."

"I appeal to the Senate," said Senator Reed, "to have done with these miserable politics. No line can be drawn between the loyal Democrats and Republicans. Let the election in Wisconsin go on. In any event a loyal man will be returned."

CRITICISM.

Senator Gronna vehemently criticised the Democrats for references to disloyalty made by Senator Williams.

"Your own actions condemn you," Senator Gronna said. "You appear to be more interested in your party's candidate for the Senate in Wisconsin than you are in the thousands and in the millions of brave boys who are now fighting for freedom. I do not know of any war that has been won by lip service."

Senator Gronna declared he would support the President in every appropriation and in every other way wherever that support is necessary for the winning of the war. He declared that it has been noticeable to him that those who were the loudest

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Where the Americans are Engaged.

The Noyon district of France.

Counter Blow.

FRENCH ASSAULT ROLLS HUNS BACK ON WIDE FRONT AT NOYON.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—On the front from Lassigny to Noyon our troops have advanced over a line about ten kilometers long to a depth of two kilometers, says the War Office statement issued tonight. The repulse of the Germans in villages farther west also is announced.

FRENCH PUSH FORWARD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN FRANCE, Wednesday, March 27.—Fresh German troops were thrown today against the French army maintaining the junction between the French and British lines, and notwithstanding the determined stand made by the French they were forced to retire toward the west, the Germans breaking through at Montdidier and occupying that place. Farther south the French held well, resisting all the German efforts.

In the rear of the French army the movements were so intense that it was impossible to approach the firing line. Notwithstanding the continued advance of the Germans, the battle has become more or less stabilized in the last two days. The French are pushing northward in order to keep in close touch with the British, who had been forced back by overwhelming numbers.

French troops have relieved part of the British line.

Nothing as yet has been allowed to develop regarding the intentions of the Entente Allied commanders, but it is certain that at an opportune moment they will make a counter stroke. The general idea of the battle as far as it has gone shows that the Germans chose to make their principal attack against the British front. At the same time they made a demonstration just where the two armies, French and British, join.

The Germans succeeded in making a breach in the British line, which the French forces closed, first sending cavalry to fill the gap. The Germans had carefully prepared for this offensive, whole divisions and army corps rehearsing the parts they were to play when the moment came.

Just before the assault the British lines were deluged with shells for a short period, and with projectiles charged with noxious gas.

WAVES OF INFANTRY.

Then came thick waves of infantry, closely following one another. The first waves, or what remained of them, reached their objectives and held on until further waves came along and cleaned up the islets of British, who were holding out with obstinacy, using for that purpose jets of liquid flame.

Reinforcements joined the Germans and from the captured first British line a murderous fire with rifles, machine guns and automatics was opened on the rear lines of the British. This rain of death was so deadly as to overpower the British reserves, who could not see whence it came and were unable to advance to the assistance of their comrades in the first line, owing to the severity of this fire.

Under cover of this hail of bullets the German waves of infantry made their way into the second British line. The Germans lay down when they had advanced for some distance and allowed still other waves to pass through the intervals. Simultaneously, large numbers of small cannon and three-inch guns mounted on low carriages for quick movement and low visibility, were brought up close behind the advancing infantry.

The tenacious resistance of the British at many points of the line caused the Germans to bring into action all of their immediate available reserves and also to bring up other divisions from the quieter parts of the front. Approximately seventy divisions have been definitely recognized as having been engaged in the battle, all of which suffered very severe losses.

At the present moment, the German movement is in the direction of Amiens.

FRENCH ATTACKS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—French

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Associated Press Review.

GERMAN DRIVE AT AN END EXCEPT AT A SINGLE POINT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SLOWLY assuming the shape of a giant plow-share, the German drive in Picardy has come almost to a halt except at the very tip of the salient driven into the lines of the Entente Allies. As the area covered by the Teutonic offensive stands now, it extends on the south, in an almost straight line, from Landricourt, on the old "Hindenburg line," to Montdidier, well behind the Allied positions as they stood in 1916.

Savage fighting has taken place on the French part of the line. The German attempts to advance on the extreme tip of the salient driven in to the French positions have been fruitless, and they have been driven back at the point of the bayonet. The British on the front north of the Scarpe also have repulsed the enemy, but south of this river they have been forced to retire.

From Montdidier the line to the northeast runs with a sharp angle to Warvillers, and there it turns northward and passes along the Somme River to above Albert, where it again turns to the northeast until it joins the old lines held by the contending armies on the morning of March 21.

Out of the confusion of the battle, and the contrary claims of the contesting armies, two new features stand out.

The first is that the French, over a front of six miles, have driven into the German lines along the southern side of the salient established by the Teutonic drive.

The other is that the Germans have begun a new operation to the east of Arras, which may be the inception of a widening of the area of battle to the northward.

At the present moment the Allied world is looking anxiously for news of the success of the French thrust into the flank of the German forces. The fact that the drive progressed rapidly and cut a deep notch into the German-held ground in the region of Noyon may indicate that this movement is the counter-offensive which has been expected for the last

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THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP.

...HER. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., ... velocity, 5 miles. Ther... highest, 74 deg.; lowest, 52 ... Forecast: Friday fair.

... complete report see last page ... Con.

... The government appealed ... citizens to supply the ... photographs, drawings ... descriptions of territory now ... by the Germans in Allied ... and of Western Germany

... factory of the Wright-Martin ... Company was closed down ... to the failure of the concern ... government work. A ... contract was cancelled.

... reception received concerning ... German raider Agassiz indi... that Los Angeles was a ren... for its company.

... are dead and a third may ... from poisoning caused ... fish at a big Sunday din...

... suspicion of a step-daughter ... to the man who married ... mother involved in ... on a charge of bigamy.

... rules to force the conser... of wheat are looming, de... City Food Administrator ... on his return from a confer...

... Socialists and saloon men ... embroiled in a bitter legal ... over the injunction suit seek... to halt the operation of the ... law.

... attendant horrors of the ... German invasion of Italy ... vividly pictured by a Los An... woman, who has just returned ... Europe.

... handicraft was exhibited ... the Japanese auxiliary of the ... Circle opened new headquar... on Jackson street.

... parents and the real ... of a baby fought over pos... of the child in the Juvenile ...

... Rosenwater, former business ... of Millionaire Earl's ... and Express, who lost suit ... contract, will appeal, he an...

... statement was made by attor... for the defense to quash the ... against E. A. Gerety, ... Police Mayor, charging at... at bribery.

... SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Rep... of the Woman's Land ... of America makes stirring ... to women to help win the ... before the Pasadena Women's ... under the Council of De...

... Beach Red Cross chapter ... a letter of thanks from ... ing for a dozen woolen ... sent him by the chap...

... school trusteeship elec... to be a bitter con... three women and two ... actively seeking election.

... Valley school chil... actively engaged in raising ... principally of the pure blood ...

... SLOPE. Fourteen res... answering all phases of wom... work are presented at second ... annual convention of California Federation of Women's Clubs.

Food Director Merritt announces there will be available in California after April 1 only enough wheat to supply one and one-half pounds weekly to each person.

Counsel for defense at trial of Hindus on charges of conspiracy against British rule in India, to ask court to recall subpoena of W. J. Bryan.

T. P. O'Connor warns that Germans will try to use occupied land in France and Russia as pawns in peace offer to be made after offensive ends.

GENERAL EASTERN. Film theater owners in Chicago ask injunction to compel unions to take hands off industry; union agitators rule industry they assert in plea.

Railroad traffic offices in Chicago ordered closed; employees to be given jobs in other places.

Kansas City sympathy strike spreads to street railway system and all cars are taken to stations; disturbances have quieted down.

Higher petroleum rates are protested by W. E. McEwen, chairman of the Transportation Committee of Western Petroleum Association; divide burdens, he says.

WASHINGTON. Senator Williams declares on Senate floor that La Follette should be expelled and Berger interned; he would oust all lukewarm Americans, he declares.

Los Angeles expected to get contracts for many more steel ships; Fred L. Baker, head of shipbuilding company, receives encouragement at capital.

Compromise of Imperial Valley irrigation problem is expected to result in the valley being supplied with water from the Laguna dam.

German agents are reported employees in Curtiss airplane factory where government machines are being built. Senate begins inquiry in executive session.

War Trade Board reaches agreement with Japan whereby twelve big ships come under American flag; total tonnage of 200,000 expected to be obtained; this country to furnish steel for construction.

FOREIGN. Mexican government revokes authority for British and American consuls to remain in that country; charges activity to enforce American blacklist.

Spanish steamer at Montevideo is denied coal by order of Allies; vessel's owner accused of smuggling Germans to Europe.

THE GREAT WAR. The German war machine is almost stopped. The attacks of massed infantry south of the Scarpe continue to force the British backward, but that is the only place on the fifty-five-mile front where the Allies gave ground yesterday, and counter-attacks were being started there before the end of the day. Field Marshal Haig's report stated the Germans had been held at all points.

The Berlin official report issued last night was much shorter than at any time since the offensive started. It reported the capture of several villages, none apparently important enough to name.

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The Great Battle.

HEAVY LOSS INFLICTED ON ENEMY BY BRITISH.

Report Double Attacks Along Scarpe; Dense Waves of Infantry Aided by Artillery Make Advance.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—The latest official reports tend to restore confidence here, although, according to Field Marshal Haig's report, the Germans have been able to renew heavy attacks along a front of fifty-five miles and fighting of the fiercest character is continuing with fluctuating fortunes. On the whole, the British are maintaining their positions and the line is nowhere greatly changed.

French reports fully confirm the favorable indications given by the British War Office statement. Early in the evening the French forces were firmly holding the enemy east and southwest of Montdidier, while heavy fighting on the front from Lassigny to Noyon had given the enemy no advantage.

LONDON, March 28.—After an all-day battle north and south of the Scarpe, with Arras as the chief center, the British forces have beaten off the Germans with heavy losses to the enemy, according to the report from Field Marshal Haig tonight.

The Reuter correspondent at British headquarters reports heavy attacks against Arras today, both to the north and south of the Scarpe. The attack on the north speedily died down, but on the south assumed serious proportions and by 11 o'clock in the morning dense waves of the enemy supported by a tremendous artillery bombardment, were reported to have made some advance.

The barometer is falling and snow is threatened, according to this correspondent.

At Close Quarters.

SWIRLING MASS OF MEN BATTLE HAND-TO-HAND.

British Present Desperate Resistance to German Attack on Telegraph Hill.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, March 28.—Astride the Somme, there are indications that another intense conflict is imminent. The Germans this morning were advancing from the neighborhood of Bray, while south of here the British were conducting operations in the direction of Sailly Laurette and Proyart.

All along the British front there is heavy fighting. The assault opposite Arras was preceded by a heavy enemy bombardment, which began early in the morning. The Germans directed their infantry drives towards the high ground represented by Orange Hill and Telegraph Hill, near Arras, both of which elevations were the scene of desperate engagements during the battle of Arras.

The fighting on Telegraph Hill just below the Scarpe was particularly bitter and at latest reports this hill was covered with swirling masses of British and Germans battling at close quarters.

HIT STONEWALLS.

The fighting yesterday in the north centered about Boisieux, St. Mare, Ayette, Courcelles and Ablaineville. Here the Germans made a succession of heavy assaults for the purpose of obtaining high ground, but in each case the attacking infantry either came against a stonewall defense, or was immediately thrown out by vigorous counter-attacks.

At least six attacks were delivered during the day by the Germans and the engagements here resulted in virtually no change in the situation. The enemy lost heavily in men. The Germans are still rushing up artillery for a continuance of the battle, but in some sections the guns are coming forward somewhat slowly. Prisoners say that food supplies also are coming up badly, because of the lengthening of communications.

Certainly no small part of the German difficulty in getting guns, troops and supplies forward has been due to the marvelous work of the British airmen since the inception of the battle. The British aviators have waged such intense warfare over the enemy territory that the Germans have been forced to abandon some of the highways and employ roundabout routes. A striking example of this is the Albert-Bapaume road, which is one of the main arteries and which the Germans are compelled to avoid.

BATTLES IN AIR.

The British pilots have been bombing and gunning their way over the Somme battle ground continually, and very heavy casualties have been inflicted on the German infantry, cavalry and transport by these intrepid low-flying fighters. The battles in the air have been innumerable and in these the British airmen have maintained the upper hand throughout.

Bravery and skill of the British flyers is illustrated well by two rather ordinary battles which took place yesterday. One British fighter, when attacked by ten German albatrosses, stood them off and brought down one before he retired in safety. Another British machine was attacked by nine German triplanes. The pilot returned after a hot fight, in which he brought down one of the enemy.

These are not exceptional cases and there is little doubt that the air service has played an important part in stemming the German sweep.

The British artillerymen have been doing magnificent work. On the first day in many instances the gunners fired with open sights at a range of a thousand yards or less and did terrible execution among the enemy. One very heavy concentration of German infantry near Morchies was completely smashed by this style of firing. Not only did the British stick to their firing to the last possible moment, but they got their guns back when it became necessary with extraordinary skill. The correspondent today heard of one battery which kept firing until the Germans were only twenty-five yards away and then fell back with every gun safe.

Confidence.

"ALLIES WILL WIN," SAYS AMERICAN STAFF CHIEF.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—In a statement tonight Maj.-Gen. March, acting Chief of Staff, assured the American people that there is no cause for alarm in the advances made by the Germans in the great battle now raging in Picardy, and expressed complete confidence in triumph of the Allied arms.

Gen. March said: "Whatever may be the present ground held by the Germans; whatever sacrifice of men the situation must entail; the Allies will see it through and will win."

Late tonight the general still was without any word from Gen. Pershing concerning the American troops participating in the battle. Gen. Pershing's reports today and tonight dealt entirely with the positions of the opposing forces yesterday, as described in the British and French official statements.

TROOPS FROM RUSSIA.

Among the new divisions identified on the German front, the War Department is advised, are four which have been brought back from Russia.

Announcement by Field Marshal Haig tonight that the German war machine along the whole British front had been beaten off today with heavy losses gave new zest to speculation here as to the Allied coun-

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Diplomacy.

GUILT FOR THE WAR FIXED ON THE KAISER.

Innermost Secrets on the Cause of the Great Struggle as Revealed by a German Ambassador.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—The personal memorandum of Prince Lichnowsky revealing the inner workings of German diplomacy, which has caused much feeling in Germany against the former Ambassador to Great Britain, leaked out last summer through the German General Staff after the fall of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg. This statement is made by the Socialist Vorwaerts of Berlin, and is published by the Times, which also reprints from the Vorwaerts the most important points of the memorandum.

In an editorial on the disclosures of the Prince the Times says:

"By a coincidence as strange as it is opportune, passages of the memorandum in which the former German Ambassador fixes the guilt for the war upon his own government, reach us when the fiercest and bloodiest conflict of the long struggle is at its height. At the moment when mankind is filled with horror and anguish at the carnage on the great battlefield, all eyes will turn to his account of the policy which brought this dread visitation upon the world.

"He has not a shadow of a doubt about the responsibility for the war. Without hesitation, he fastens it upon Germany. The German militarists were inexorable. They would not suffer Count Berchtold to give way. When he flinched from plunging Europe into war they forced his hand.

"They delivered an ultimatum to Russia and the next day declared war upon her although the Russian Emperor had pledged his word that while the negotiations continued not a man should march.

"'We deliberately destroyed the possibility of a peaceful settlement,' is the former Ambassador's considered judgment. He cannot feel surprised that 'the whole civilized world outside Germany attributes to us sole guilt for the world war.' The whole story which he records corroborates this judgment and cannot be reconciled with any other.

"The first hint of coming trouble which reached him seems to have been Von Bethmann-Hollweg's refusal to share his optimism when he visited Wilhelmstrasse early in July, 1914. The Chancellor and the Undersecretary for Foreign Affairs complained of Russia armament and the latter declared that Russia was everywhere in Germany's way. At the same time he learned that Von Tschirsky, the German Ambassador at Vienna, had been rebuked because he had counselled moderation towards Serbia. But these were mere straws showing the direction of the current.

"It was not until later that he heard of the decisive conversation at Potsdam on July 5 and of 'the absolute assent' which 'all personages in authority' there gave to Austria's inquiry that he knew that Gen. Von Moltke, then Chief of the General Staff, was 'pressing forward' or that he was informed of the statement in the protocol of the Potsdam meeting sent to Count Wenadorff that these personages had agreed 'there would be no harm if a war with Russia were to result.'

"Herr von Jagow met his warnings about the probable effects of the Potsdam policy upon British opinion by assuring him Russia was not ready and Germany 'must simply risk it.' This belief as to Russian unreadiness 'caused us to stimulate Count Berchtold to the greatest possible energy.'

"Meanwhile, the attitude of England was absolutely pacific and the English press protested against the political exploitation of the Sarajevo murders, but it sternly reproved the crime. It at once understood that the unprecedented ultimatum which under 'stimulation' from Berlin Count Berchtold had launched at Serbia meant war. Still Sir Edward Grey, Foreign Minister, as he then was, did not despair and the former German Ambassador bears the strongest testimony to the sincerity of his unwearying efforts to avert this war which the Germans calumniously assert he provoked.

"The Prince declares that 'it would have been easy to find an acceptable solution' for the two relatively small points left in dispute between Vienna and Belgrade, and that, given good will, everything could have been settled in one or two sittings' of the body proposed by Sir Edward.

"'A hint from Berlin would have been enough to make Count Berchtold less satisfied with a diplomatic success and to cause his acquiescence in the Serbian reply. What happened?'

"'This hint was not given; on the contrary, we pressed for war.' Sir Edward besought Germany to make a proposal of her own: 'We insisted upon war.' The Russian Foreign Minister made urgent appeals and definite declarations, and later the Russian Emperor sent positively humble telegrams in vain. Berlin went on insisting that Serbia must be massacred.' At last Count Berchtold himself wavered. He 'had hitherto stayed the strong man on instructions from Berlin' and he 'decided to change his course.' Then Germany cut short all hopes of peace by herself declaring war.

"Prince Lichnowsky speaks of the 'perfidy' of the policy he was used to cloak, but it is not chiefly upon the sentimental or even upon moral grounds that he condemned the German system. It is the folly rather than the wickedness of German state craft which he reprobates. It is quite unnecessary, he insists, for Germany to trouble herself about Austria. Austria-Hungary might have been turned into 'a vassal of the German Empire' without an alliance at all. Germany could always keep her in tow by cultivating good relations with Russia.

"But Prussian 'militarists' were bent upon war, which was essential to their own class interests."

COMMERCIAL JEALOUSY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

STOCKHOLM, March 28.—Anglo-German negotiations concerning the Berlin-Bagdad railway and German naval and commercial jealousy of Great Britain are touched upon in further sections of the personal memorandum written by Prince Lichnowsky, German Ambassador to London at the outbreak of the war. Excerpts from the memorandum are being published by the Politiken, and already have brought the Prince into disfavor in German officialdom because of his frank statements on German diplomacy, which he did not intend to be made public.

Prince Lichnowsky, after describing efforts to secure a better understanding between Germany and England in the negotiations over the Anglo-German treaty, refers to the so-called Bagdad railway treaty. This aimed, in fact, at a division of Asia Minor into spheres of interest, although, the Prince writes, this expression was carefully avoided in consideration of the rights of the Sultan of Turkey.

Sir Edward Grey, then British Foreign Secretary, declared repeatedly that there was no agreement between England and France aiming at a division of Asia Minor. The greatest concession that Sir Edward made to Prince Lichnowsky personally, it is declared, was for the continuation of the railway line to Basra. By this treaty the whole of Mesopotamia up to Basra became a German zone of interest, by which all British rights and the question of shipping on the Tigris were left untouched.

The British economic territories, the Prince adds, included the coasts of the Persian Gulf and the Smyrna-Aden railway. The French territory was Syria and the Russian, Armenia. Had the treaty been concluded and published, he continues, an agreement would have been reached with England which would have finally ended all doubt of the possibility of Anglo-German co-operation.

Referring to the difficult question of German naval activity, Prince Lichnowsky says it was never judged quite correctly. The creation of a mighty fleet on the other shore of the North Sea and the simultaneous development of the continent's most important military power into a most important naval power, he declares, had at least to be recognized by Great Britain as uncomfortable. To maintain the necessary lead and to preserve the supremacy of the seas, which Great Britain must have in order not to go down, the Prince adds, she had to undertake preparations and expenses which weighed heavily on the taxpayers. The threat against British world position was that the German policy permitted the possibility of a war-like development to appear. This possibility, the Prince asserts, was obviously near during the Moroccan crisis and the Bosnian question.

The powers had become reconciled to the German fleet in its definite strength. Obviously it was not welcome to Great Britain, and, the Prince declares, constituted one of the motives, but neither the only nor most important motive, for England's joining hands with Russia and France.

On account of the German fleet alone, Prince Lichnowsky says, Great Britain would have drawn the sword as little as on account of German trade, "which it is pretended called forth her jealousy and finally brought about war." From the beginning, Prince Lichnowsky says he adopted the standpoint that in spite of the fleet it would be possible to come to a friendly understanding and reapprochement if the Germans did not propose new votes of credit, and, above all, if the Germans did carry out an indisputable peace policy.

The Prince adds that he avoided all mention of the German fleet, and that never a word was uttered concerning it between himself and Foreign Secretary Grey.

GERMANS EXECUTED; WORE BRITISH UNIFORM

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—A number of German soldiers who had put on British uniforms in order to create confusion in the battle on the Somme front were taken prisoner and executed, according to the Intransigeant.

PRINCE OF WALES LEAVES FOR FRONT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—The Prince of Wales, who has been in England for several weeks, has again left for the front.

"THE TIMES" DAY BY DAY CIRCULATION GAINS.

UP, UP, UP, go the circulation figures of The Times! Up, up, up, faster than ever! Its new readers are coming in thousands, and are coming to stay. The Times has increased its regular circulation 30 per cent. since last summer—and still the additional subscribers come. Still they come, and tell others how much they like The Times. Following are the figures showing the day-by-day circulation of The Times now as compared with corresponding days last year:

				Gain.
March 22, 1917....	66,220	March 21, 1918....	76,310	10,090
March 23, 1917....	66,230	March 22, 1918....	77,292	11,062
March 24, 1917....	66,905	March 23, 1918....	76,590	9,685
March 25, 1917....	113,270	March 24, 1918....	126,000	12,730
March 26, 1917....	66,610	March 25, 1918....	78,110	11,500
March 27, 1917....	66,970	March 26, 1918....	79,318	12,348
March 28, 1917....	66,810	March 27, 1918....	79,273	12,463

AMERICAN CASUALTIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—To-day's list of casualties among the American expeditionary force shows one man killed in action, four missing in action, one died of wounds, one killed by accident, sixteen died of disease, one severely wounded, and twenty-nine slightly wounded.

The list follows:

Killed in action: Private Patrick Rogers.

Died of accident: Civilian Arthur Davenport.

Died of wounds: Corp. William F. Elwood.

Wounded severely: Private Toufik J. Maathook.

Died of disease: Second Lieutenant Gerald L. Ebener, pneumonia; Sergts. Frederick Louis Adkins, tuberculosis; Sam J. C. Harpie, anthrax; Mechanic Lee A. Dunn, pneumonia; Privates Ernest Hickerson, pneumonia; Robert S. Allan, pneumonia; Cato Barber, pneumonia; John W. Butler, pneumonia; Richard J. Craig, pneumonia; Franz L. Evans, tuberculosis; Gilbert O. Evans, measles; John Ozone Getgen, pneumonia; Joseph D. Lambert, pneumonia; Capus L. Leggett, pneumonia; Mike Standing Water, pneumonia; John Whetstone, pneumonia.

Wounded slightly: First Lieutenants John T. Kibler, James V. Ware; Second Lieutenants Benjamin H. Gardner; Sergt.-Maj. John Neumes; Sergt. Frank P. Paris, Corps. Elmer E. Eldredge, James B. Laffa; Privates Walter R. Ramsey, John C. Bleight, Willie Branam, Walter B. Brants, Alexander R. Carson, Daniel Cullinare, Leo J. Dorey, Carl Collier, Roscoe M. Cook, Duncan A. Flaro, John M. Fleming, Sylvester Green, Hugh J. McGuigan, George T. Malone, Ciferno Rockey, Frederick E. Slaton, Abe Steinberg, Charles H. Stever, Raymond Thompson, John Votta, George A. Wallace and William L. Zimmerman.

Missing in action: Sergt. Mack Trent, Privates Ashgorn Holm, Theren Parks, Lorten W. Register.

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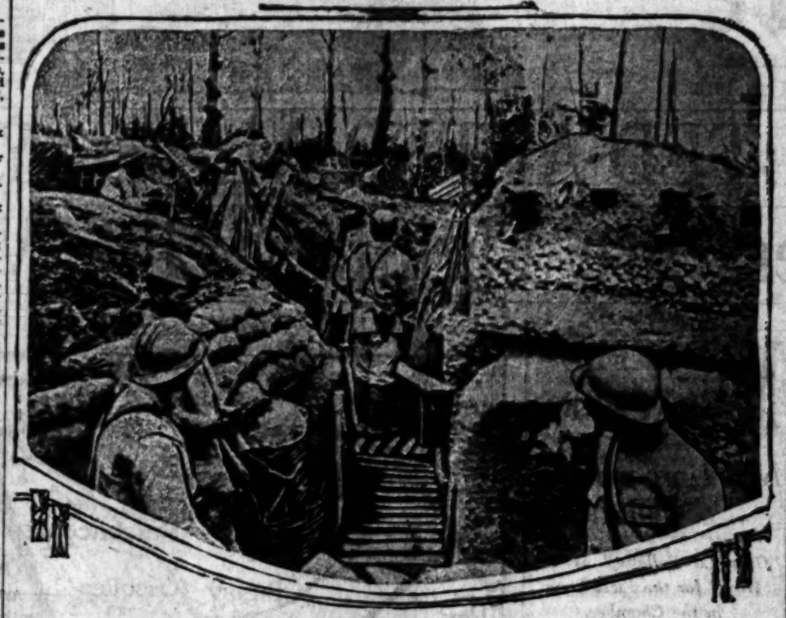
Steel and Concrete Used as Barrier to Germans.



Almost adamant.

Just how hard a job the Huns have tackled in trying to break through the Allied line on the western front can be gathered from these first-line defenses which have been prepared for this occasion. Concrete interwoven with steel relays is the material used in some of the sectors to afford protection from bombs and shells.

Haig's Official.

BATTLE RAGES ON FRONT FIFTY-FIVE MILES LONG.

British Battle Positions Withstand Assaults Continued All Day.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—Following is the text of Field Marshal Haig's statement tonight:

"Heavy fighting occurred during the day along the whole British line from southeast of the Somme to northeast of Arras, a battle front of some fifty-five miles.

"This morning, after an intense enemy bombardment and covered by a cloud of smoke, the enemy opened a fresh attack in great strength on a wide front south and north of the Scarpe. At the same time a series of partial attacks was delivered by him along our line southward to the Somme.

"In the new sector of battle, east of Arras, the enemy succeeded in forcing his way through our outpost line, and hard fighting has been proceeding all day in our battle positions. Here all the enemy's assaults have been repulsed with heavy loss to him.

"Fierce fighting is still taking place south of the Scarpe.

"At Boyelles, Moyenneville, Ablainville, Bucquoy and Puisieux, our troops also have been repeatedly attacked and have beaten off a number of determined assaults. At Derenancourt the enemy succeeded in forcing his way for the second time into the village, but was driven out once more by our counter-attack, with the loss of many killed or taken prisoner.

"South of the Somme our troops have been fiercely engaged all day in the neighborhood of Arvillers, Vrely and Hamel. Different localities have changed hands frequently in bitter fighting, but our positions have been maintained. Heavy fighting continues in this sector, also."

Looking for Trouble.

MEXICO OUSTS AMERICAN AND BRITISH CONSULS.

Exequaturs Ordered Revoked Because of Activities Enforcing Blacklist.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) March 28.—Word was received here today from the American consular office at Nogales, Sonora, that the Mexican government had ordered revoked the exequaturs of Frederick Simpich, American Consul at Guaymas, Sonora, and John Davidson, British Consul at the same place, because of alleged activities of the two consuls in preventing the delivery of cargoes to firms whose names are on the American blacklist. The ships which brought the cargoes to Guaymas are the San Pedro and the Gulf Meal. The captains of the steamers are under bonds of 5000 pesos each, pending the outcome of the case.

Irrigation.

LAGUNA DAM MAY WATER IMPERIAL VALLEY FARMS.

Compromise Plan Suggested by Federal Agents in Place of Weir.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28.—Imperial Valley may get a solution of its water problem at no great cost. It involves the abandonment of the all-American canal, but provides a way for the abolition of the temporary weir, which has been objected to by the War Department, and which at certain stages of the year is regarded as a menace to the surrounding country.

The latest proposal is a compromise worked out by the officials of the Interior Department. It provides that the Imperial Valley Irrigation District be allowed to take water from the Laguna Dam, which was built to irrigate the Yuma (Ariz.) project. This dam is several miles above the temporary weir in the Colorado River, placed there by the Imperial Valley to divert its water during low stages of the river. The plan now proposed is for the Imperial district to continue its canal, which now stops at the weir, to a connection with the dam, along the California side of the river, build a headgate and diverting wing there and take from the Colorado the necessary water. This done, the temporary weir can be removed and the dangers resulting removed.

Later, this plan will be enhanced in value by the development of the storage of the flood water of the Colorado further up in the watershed of this great river. While the estimates of the district engineers were as low as $10,000,000 for the total cost of an all-American canal, the engineers of the Interior Department estimate that it would ultimately require $25,000,000 to complete the project.

DIPLOMATS REACH HARBIN IN SAFETY.

UCHIDA PRAISES FRANCIS FOR AID GIVEN IN PETROGRAD WITHDRAWAL.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

TOKIO, Thursday, March 28.—James G. Daily, first secretary, and J. Butler Wright, counselor of the American Embassy at Petrograd, have arrived at Harbin, Manchuria, on board a train, which brought Viscount Uchida, the Japanese Ambassador, the Chinese Ambassador, twenty-two Americans and a number of Japanese and Chinese from Petrograd, who left the Russian capital at the time of the arrangement of the peace treaty between the Germans and the Bolsheviki.

Viscount Uchida is quoted by Japanese journalists as expressing indebtedness to David R. Francis, the American Ambassador, for assistance given at the time of the withdrawal from Petrograd, which he said was left because the Embassy had no official relations with the Maximalist government. The Ambassador said that the indications were that the Maximalists would increase in power; that even if they were destroyed by Germany their principles could not be buried, and it seemed as if these principles would affect the whole world, especially entering and permeating Austria and Germany.

The Ambassador added that he thought the development and expansion of Germany would be ended with the war, and that there was no cause for fear of an eastward trend of Germany's influence.

Casualties.

ENGLAND'S LOSSES LESS THAN GERMANS ALLEGE.

Usual Exaggeration Must be Considered, Warns British General.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Wednesday, March 27.—England, in considering her losses in the fighting in France, "must take into consideration the usual German exaggeration," Maj.-Gen. Frederick B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the War Office, said today.

"In the past," he declared, "the Germans have usually given the captures of prisoners and guns in round numbers, not as actually counted but as anticipated fro mthe general situation. It is reasonable to assume that the same thing is being done now.

"Our total loss of guns, either from falling into the hands of the enemy or being knocked out, is about 600, according to our best information. This compares with the German assertion of 950.

PRISONERS.

"Probably the same ratio holds good regarding German count of prisoners and it must be remembered that the Germans count of prisoners includes many of our wounded men whom we were unable to take with us.

"We have lost probably about 100 tanks, which we used extensively in the counter-attacks."

Gen. Maurice said the War Office was giving out the news as quickly and as fully as it was received, and he urged the public to be patient.

"In these critical times," he said, "I want to emphasize that it is everyone's duty to avoid making them more critical and to avoid being mournful. During the last few days some newspapers have raised the old cry that we are concealing part of the news because it is too serious for it to be made public. This charge not only is untrue but has had a bad effect because it has tended to create panic. It has tended to make the people believe that things are worse than they really are.

TELLING THE TRUTH.

"In our communications and statements to the public we are telling the whole truth as we know it. I have told you on previous occasions that when we are fighting a great battle on the defensive we can not get information or sense the exact situation as quickly as the enemy. Last year in our offensive operations we saw the same principle working. In fact, the British communications were earlier and nearer complete than those of the Germans.

"In defensive battles divisional and corps headquarters are shifted, wires are down and the men on the scene are more occupied with building up new lines than with sending news as to the exact situation to the War Office.

"We at the War Office are just as impatient as you are for the news, and as soon as the situation steadies we will again be receiving the hourly developments and promptly. Meanwhile let us be patient."

Desperation.

MASSED ATTACKS BRING GERMANS TRIFLING GAIN.

Kaiser Sacrifices Infantry with Ruthless Prodigality, but Pressure Lessens.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—In the last twenty-four hours the Germans have made only one comparatively trifling gain as the result of numerous massed attacks along the whole front, says Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters. For the British there may be alleged several distinct local successes, either in completely repelling enemy blows or in wresting back ground by counter-attacks.

"Although the Germans continue to use their infantry with ruthless prodigality, the general pressure along the front is for the moment less determined. This may be attributed in part to the enemy waiting to bring up heavy artillery preparatory to another great effort, and in part to exhaustion."

Nothing can be learned of the appearance of enemy tanks on the British front, while those left by the retreating British were systematically destroyed, the correspondent reports.

The enemy is continuing to bring troops from far and near to replenish his reserves and along wide stretches the German front is held by a mere screen of troops.

Southern Front.

AUSTRIA MUSTERS FORTY NEW DIVISIONS IN ITALY.

Military Men Convinced Offensive Against Latins is Sure to Start.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Forty new Austrian divisions have been distributed along the Italian front, the Italian Embassy was advised today by cable from Rome, and this activity has convinced Italian military men that the battle in France will not prevent an offensive against Italy. This view is also shared by the Allied leaders, the cable said, and consequently not a single man of the Franco-British forces in Italy has been withdrawn to reinforce the armies withstanding the great German attack.

"That the battle in France will not prevent the Austrian offensive against Italy," said the message, 'is the founded opinion of competent military men of Italy. The Allies are also of this opinion, so much so that no one single man of the Franco-British forces in Italy has been withdrawn. This statement disposes of the assertion of the German communique that the British forces in Italy had been brought to the French front.

"In connection with the expected drive against Italy, it is stated that at least forty new Austrian divisions have been distributed along the Italian front. All available artillery has also been transferred from the Russian and Rumanian fronts to the Italian front. Italy, therefore, must be prepared for the coming blow, which the situation in France may have postponed, but which must be met in the very near future."

ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, March 28.—"Our artillery yesterday engaged enemy movements on the road to the east of Badenecche and caused the explosion of an ammunition depot east of Vider," says today's official communication. "Our patrols compelled enemy parties to retire at Concalaghi and east of Cavazuccherina.

"British aviators brought down two enemy airplanes east of St. Dona di Piave."

The Patron.

PERSIA DENIES GERMAN PACT.

Delegation Reported Seeking Permanent Alliance.

Rifles and Hammers Held Russia's Only Hopes.

Formation of Regular Army Urged by Minister.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MOSCOW, Wednesday, March 27.—The newspapers report that a Persian delegation has left Teheran for Berlin by way of Constantinople to arrange a permanent alliance between Persia and Germany, based upon a large loan by Germany to finance Persian railways and to equip the Persian army with German instructors.

The Persian charge at Petrograd, denying this report, states that Persia is endeavoring merely to arrange a settlement of the damages suffered and to assure Persia representation at the ultimate peace conference in order to insure payment from the belligerents.

ARMY NEEDED.

Russians must take a rifle in one hand and a hammer in the other, submit to the most strict discipline and work sixteen hours a day if they hope to combat the menace threatening them, declared M. Podvoisky, Assistant Minister of War, in an address advocating the immediate creation of a regular army. He ridiculed the idea of guerrilla warfare and said that such an effort would only be a "flea bite."

Russia, he said, wants dictators and business organization instead of pious intentions. M. Podvoisky urged compulsory training, and commercial as well as military mobilization.

The Bolshevik Pravda says that recruiting for the Red Guard is unsuccessful so far because of the opposition of the bourgeois, who "must be removed by merciless terror if necessary."

An American who escaped from Minsk two days after the Germans occupied the city has reached Moscow and reports the local population there much incensed against the invaders. The more than 200 miles between Minsk and Moscow were covered by the American by walking and riding in sleighs, railway traffic being interrupted.

Polish troops who assisted the Germans in capturing Minsk, he says, were amazed and disgusted when, two days after the occupation, the Germans seized their armored motor cars and announced that the Germans alone would police the city.

All motor cars, carts and wagons were commandeered by the Germans, who at once began to seize all foodstuffs. This speedily turned the population against them and telephone lines of communication with the German bases were repeatedly cut by the Russians despite warning by the Germans that all persons doing this would be killed.

The American says there are about 2000 German soldiers in Minsk, and the local population is so antagonistic that a movement against the invaders is expected. The Germans are said to have very little artillery.

CONDITION CRITICAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, March 28.—Mrs. Cyrus Walker of San Francisco was stricken with apoplexy at the Potter Hotel, this morning. She was hurried aboard a private car attached to the northbound limited and sent to her home. Her condition was critical.

GERMAN CLUB CLOSES DOORS PERMANENTLY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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Intrigue.

HOW KAISER'S WOMAN AGENT CORRUPTED SLAVS

German Money Bought Monk Body and Soul—The Czarina was Under His Influence.

[This newspaper prints today another article of the series of astounding revelations of German political intrigue in Russia, written by the Countess von Schaumberg, self-confessed agent of the Wilhelmstrasse. A veritable web of duplicity was woven around the Russian court by this woman, who devoted her brains and beauty unreservedly to the Fatherland. Through the lure of the notorious Mme. Wassiltchikoff, the whole members of the Russian royal family walked into it. Thousands of Russians were hired to whisper peace on the street corners. This story will be continued in The Times tomorrow.]

BY COUNTESS HILDA VON SCHAUMBERG.

CHAPTER VI.

MY return from Brazil, Von Reitzein of the intelligence bureau told me that it was the Emperor's wish that I should more establish myself in St. Petersburg. This time my duty stimulated of becoming a maid of honor to the Czarina and to watch her guests and report them to the office as fast as they occurred. I had no unpleasant duty before me. All I had to do was to keep a sharp eye on those who were in the habit of visiting the Czar's palace. I was to be a kind of superintendent over our numerous servants and about the Muscovite court was to see to it that they did their work as they should.

Reitzein informed me that a position for me as maid of honor had been secured through one of the Princess Cecile's highly placed relatives in the Russian court.

This gracious Countess will make herself liked by everyone in and about the Russian court—for the present she will hold herself in readiness for sudden instructions. From time to time she will keep her eyes open for our agents and report, as she is very prudent, how they are behaving. I spoke to me Baron von Reitzein, the chief of our foreign intelligence department, before whom, the chief of our intelligence bureau.

ESPIONAGE IN RUSSIA.

I must state here that I have carried on no less than five Russian missions. I have already written of my mission to induce Lenin to go to Petrograd. Of course, this was the most recent. What I propose to relate is the story of my adventure in the interest of the Kaiser to Russia. This, naturally, concerns my experiences in the Russian court during the period when our agents in Russia had begun to master the situation, and when I was then under our direct orders. However, our secret service work was very anxious that I should be there three or four months to come to a head. So, for the dignity of a superspy, I was to take up my new duty.

I was in the days of Rasputin's power in the Russian court. I had succeeded in enlisting the most extraordinary person who could be of service to our service. It was a year since the last time I had been in St. Petersburg. I was in my journey gladly, but I was over I found it the active assignment that I had

On reaching St. Petersburg I found Rasputin was the whole talk and that Russian history was being written entirely through him. It seems for anyone to attempt to understand Russia of those days without referring to this man, whom I regarded with curiosity, then with which, as time passed, endless utterances of him, notwithstanding the fact that he was our ally in ruling the Czarina and, through her, every phase of Russian politics.

I found Rasputin the Russian I would have established themselves solidly in our Eastern Prussia. Without Rasputin we could never have driven the Russian armies from Poland. Without Rasputin, and through him, the Russian War Office, at whose head was Gen. Sukhomlikoff, Russia would have disputed our military power along our eastern front. Therefore—as much as we all detest him, and to me he was a vile beast—it is quite impossible to write of these events without telling the story of this most stupendous "fake" in the world.

THAT STRANGE RUSSIA.

More than once I have been asked, "How is it that an ignoramus such as this Rasputin had so long exerted such enormous influence over the imperial court circle?" First, you must know that Russia is half-heathen. It also should be kept in mind that the so-called "intellectual" classes in St. Petersburg constitute but a very, very small section of the population. Outside of these the majority of the middle classes, most of the aristocracy and all of the plutocracy are half-heathen mystics and sensualists. If people only knew this fact they would more readily understand why Russia so easily succumbs to every queer and strange teaching such as those taught by Lenin, Rasputin and Tolstoy. I do not mean to classify these three persons as of the same caliber; they, however, appeal to a certain element, and each has had a strong following.

Rasputin's story reads more like fiction than sober fact, and no doubt for that reason so much romance has been turned out regarding him.

The real name of this man was Gregory Novyeh, and I could never find out when he was named Rasputin, which, in Russian, means dissolute—a truly appropriate name for him.

During my former missions to St. Petersburg I had seen this man from a distance only, no nearer than ten or fifteen feet. But I still remember the terrible sensation I experienced in meeting him at a social function during my third mission there. On this occasion, when this tall and beastly-looking man stooped low to kiss my hand, his personality seemed so abhorrent to me that I felt like snatching my hand from his. He was so repulsive. Yet how these Russian court ladies, from the Czarina down, bestowed worshipful admiration on this ignorant Siberian moudjik!

DECEIVED ARCHBISHOP.

However, I was certain of one thing. He was just as dirty about his clothes as he was unnaturally sensual. Yet, with all his unseemly appearance and his low character, he had successfully deceived the archbishop of Kazan, who had pronounced him "a man of God."

This gave him a through "pass" to enter all grades of Russian society with much ease. That accounts, in some measure, for his sudden entrance to the company of decent people. He was so vulgar in his personal appearance that he never thought of taking care of his finger nails. A peasant just imported from the farm would have a cleaner appearance than this man.

I have never been able to explain the reason of his popularity with high Russian society, but this much is certain that Rasputin was the greatest influence in Russia.

So it is a great credit to our foreign secret service bureau that it was able to enlist so great an influence in our behalf. Of course, we were not concerned in this man's character, but we were greatly concerned in what he could do for us in St. Petersburg.

MILLIONS TO WIN RASPUTIN.

It has cost our intelligence bureau millions of marks to win this man to our service, and though clever enough to make others his tools and dupes, he, in turn, became our tool in Russia and this war the cause of his undoing. However, before his murder, he had rendered us the greatest services possible.

Some people have the idea that our intelligence bureau discovered this man since the war began. This is a mistake. In its great foresight our intelligence bureau had been financing this man even as early as three years before the war. Two years before the outbreak of the war he was secretly escorted to the presence of our Kaiser, who, in his wonderful political sagacity, saw great possibilities in this man as a friend of our fatherland in Russia, and no doubt bestowed on him high honors. From Berlin he was taken to the Vienna court, and even today I still cannot understand how he was tolerated by the highly cultivated diplomatic personages of the polished Vienna court. Nevertheless, he spent nearly three months in that court of the most exacting etiquette. The natural conclusion is that the sharp-eyed Vienna Foreign Office must have also seen great possibilities in Rasputin.

Rasputin visited the Czarina daily, and three times each week the court held spiritualist meetings, and, behind locked doors, offered prayers to the spirits under the direction of the teacher.

HIS DUPES ALL WOMEN.

With the exception of a very few men, his dupes were women, whose fathers, and husbands were highly stationed in the Russian court. Through these men and women Rasputin was in a position to have access to any department of the government, and thus our intelligence bureau knew what was taking place in each department better than Russia's allies.

Rasputin visited the imperial palace unannounced and was always received without objection by the Czarina. One day when he entered the reception room I met him and was compelled to entertain him until the Czarina had returned from the nursery. His person was so repulsive to me that as he approached me to kiss my hand I stepped back and held both my hands behind me. Nevertheless, he talked to me and holding my hands to his lips, forcibly kissed them and said, "you are not yet one of our faith." I made no reply, and pulling my hands from his started hastily for the Czarina's chambers. To my terror and surprise I saw him following me. I was about to scream when the Czarina attended by two other maids of honor, entered the reception room from the nursery.

I was unhappy that I was assigned to a duty where I had to see and tolerate such a man whose very presence was hateful to me. But in the service one must tolerate everything that is for the good of the fatherland. And soon it became my duty to even court favors from this man, but during all the time in which I was obliged to associate with him my distaste for his personality and everything pertaining to him never grew less, but rather grew greater.

I suddenly received instructions from Baron Steinhaner that it was absolutely imperative the Czar should be advised and urged to make peace with Germany at once, and that otherwise his dynasty, his own life and those of his immediate family were in danger.

This was a direct hint from our intelligence bureau that I should influence Rasputin to advise the Czar to seek peace with Germany at once. This meant nothing else but permitting Rasputin's attendance to continue without objection on my part; and, in fact, if I desired speedy results, I should encourage them. This was the hardest duty that the fatherland had demanded of me. I had no choice, however, I had to perform it.

On the next opportune occasion I beamed at him with a smile and by my manner encouraged him to speak to me. And on the following day I expressed my desire to become one of his disciples.

He was overjoyed, and after the secret meeting of the court spiritualists, to which I was not yet permitted entrance, he invited me to visit his apartments, so that he could open the secrets of his new faith to my full comprehension.

I was in a mood of hesitancy when I received another message from our intelligence bureau to hasten activities on the peace movement.

I visited Rasputin's apartments alone. I had prepared a form of a personal epistle which I wished Rasputin to sign and address to the Czar. He met me eagerly at the entrance of his apartment. He was garbed in a heavy purple silk robe, and though his manners were not those of a courtier, yet he tried to be courteous. I found him living sumptuously, surrounded with barbaric luxury. How hateful the atmosphere of the place was!

I found others had arrived before me, perhaps fifteen or twenty, a few of whom I knew to be in our service. He escorted me to the room where the rest of his dupes and tools had gathered to receive the blessings of his new faith. What a sight it was! Picture to yourself the most ignorant Russian peasant, a man not physically attractive or mentally interesting, yet to whom had been given a strange hypnotic power by which he duped these silly women. He was, with all his bad manners, a gifted hypnotist of a peculiar sort who, when he discovered what benefits it could bring him, developed his ability and built around himself a wall of superstition which protected him from his most powerful enemies and gave him a power to even use the Czar and Czarina as if they were children.

When the ceremony of my introduction to the rest of his followers had ended, he invited us to sit on the floor on the carpet. We sat around him, some of us sitting and others half reclining. Then he talked to us about his wonderful new faith. He told us how he had conquered sin, how many miracles he had performed, and how he had healed thousands of men and women of sin and disease. He also told us that day, as a hint of what one might expect of him should one cause his animosity, that it was through his power than Von Plehve was struck down. His listeners swallowed every statement without reservation, but it was well known to me that Von Plehve was the victim of a terrorist-anarchist and that he was murdered for political reasons. Another one of his favorite doctrines was that there was no salvation without repentance, and, of course, no repentance without sin. I do not care to further dwell on his doctrines; they are unprintable.

At the end of the meeting, on a signal from Rasputin, one of the attendants ushered me into another room. The ceremony of parting from his disciples took about fifteen or twenty minutes, and when they had all departed Rasputin returned to me. I had already rehearsed my role. As soon as I saw him enter the room I walked to him like a little schoolgirl meeting her homecoming father, and told him I had greatly enjoyed his every word.

"Will the Holy Father permit me to visit his seance another time?" Rasputin was a conceited brute. He believed I was sincere. I kept up the attack.

"Perhaps I may be able to hold a few minutes' conversation with you when you visit Her Majesty this evening. You are aware, of course, that the Grand Duke is ill again; no doubt you will visit him."

He had not yet heard of the Grand Duke's illness.

PLOT AGAINST HIS LIFE.

No one can imagine how relieved I felt on reaching the street. On returning to the palace I told the Czarina how I had enjoyed the service held at Rasputin's apartments. I persuaded her then to send for Rasputin so that he might cure the Grand Duke's indisposition at once. The messenger, who was about to carry the Czarina's message, was a man in our service. I secretly gave him another note to be given to Rasputin, in which I urged him not to come to the palace until he saw me late in the evening at his own apartment, as "I feared a plot planned against his life by several young palace courtiers."

Rasputin did not respond to the Czarina's invitation to come to the palace that afternoon for the purpose of curing the Grand Duke. However, late that same evening, true to my promise, I again visited him at his apartments.

I told him that the war was creating a great feeling against his influence in the palace. For about half an hour I urged on him that Russia wanted peace, the people longed for peace, but that the Czar was the only person in the empire who stood in the way of an immediate signing of a peace treaty. I advised him to urge this on the Czar himself, to warn him that he must at once sign a peace treaty with his enemies.

I played on his vanity. "The Czar has great confidence in you," I concluded, "and should you be instrumental in securing peace for the empire and the people, you will become their idol. They will bless you. They will listen to you, and above all they will accept your wonderful new faith, your new teachings. You are the one person who can secure peace for Russia. To you, but to no one else in the empire will Czar Nicholas give ear!"

Yes, this ignorant peasant was conceited. He believed every word I uttered. He said that he had been thinking of that for some time. He had tried to meet the Czar privately, but so far had not been able to do so, one of his uncles usually being with him. Whenever the Czar attended one of his meetings there were so many people present that a conversation with him in secret was impossible. And he had no courage to write to the Czar. "I am a man of God, and have neglected the arts of men."

He spoke truly this time. He was a poor ignorant peasant. He was an illiterate. I had known all about it. And that was just exactly what I had wished that he would admit to me. I had made preparations for that very exigency.

MESSAGE FROM THE "SPIRITS."

I was about to produce the copy that I had prepared beforehand, when a new idea came to me. I said: "Holy father, will you dictate to me whatever inspiration you have received from the spirits on this subject, and I will write down your words? You can sign it and dispatch it to the Czar."

The big beast fell an easier victim than I had anticipated. He dictated these words, which I wrote down for him. (This letter was produced during the recent trial of Gen. Sukhomlinov — the former Minister of Russia, for treason.)

"My Gracious Sovereign, the Czar, Brother Nicholas:

"This morning I received a message from the spirits, commanding me to address it to you. I am, Brother Nicholas, commanded to advise you thus:

"Take heed what you do, for once done it will be irrevocable. The atmosphere of war is, and ever will be, noxious to you and yours. Keep clear of it.

"Once already you went to war, and you know what it cost you. But you do not know what it cost your people. To hundreds of thousands the war clarion that summoned your troops to attack the Japanese was the trump of doom, and it was you who sounded it.

"That was a grievous sin, which God has visited upon you and your family. Your wife and son were severely tried by a long and serious illness, and it is only now, and through me, that they are slowly recovering health.

"If you continue this war, prepare to lose them both, and your throne as well. Is that what you want? If not, then be moderate in your dealings with Germany and Austria. Lead your people back to the path of peace and order, deserve their gratitude, and God's favor."

This "heavenly message" was even better than I could have hoped. The "spirits" were certainly in full conspiracy with our peace agent who soon after reached the Russian capital. In view of Rasputin's warning, special attention was paid to the first German emissary of peace, and my special task was accomplished.

PROPOSE TO ADJUST WAGES TO LIVING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Periodical adjustment of wages for ship workers, depending on the cost of living, will be adopted, if satisfactory figures showing advances in the cost of living can be determined at a conference soon to be held between the Department of Labor and the Shipping Board.

"Wages and food prices have been racing each other and food prices have outdistanced wages," Assistant Secretary of Labor Post said in announcing the conference. "For every $2 advance in wages, living costs have increased $3. The cost of living has been advancing 2 per cent. a month," he said.

ANOTHER AVIATOR KILLED AT FT. WORTH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FT. WORTH (Tex.) March 28.—Robert Daniel Garwood, cadet of the Royal Flying Corps at Benbrook, an English aviation camp near here, was killed at noon today, when his airplane fell from a tail spin. He was from Canaseraga, N. Y. This was the forty-fifth fatal accident to aviators here since the aviation camp was established last October.

WIFE KILLS HUSBAND WHILE HE SLUMBERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Mrs. Irene Flynn Fucelli, 21 years old, shot and killed her husband, Edward Fucelli, 28 years old, in their home here, today, while he was sleeping, as the result, the police say, of threats made by Fucelli to kill her.

She shot him, the police say, with a revolver with which he had threatened her.

DISLOYAL SOCIALISTS EXPELLED FROM OFFICE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CLEVELAND, March 28.—Noah C. Mandelkorn and John G. Willert, Socialist Councilmen, were expelled late last night from the City Council at a special meeting hearing charges of disloyalty, disorderly conduct and violation of Council rules.

KAISER IS WILLING IF HE HOLDS STRING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A report today from American Minister Morris at Stockholm says Germany has agreed to recognize the independence of Lithuania provided it joins the German confederation and shoulders a part of the German war debt.

RUSSIANS CONFIRM ODESSA'S RECAPTURE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Wednesday, March 27.—Official dispatches published here confirm the report that Odessa has been recaptured by the Bolshevik troops.

DRAFT EXTENSION BILL DISPLACED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The War Department bill extending the draft law to youths reaching 21 years of age since June 5, 1917 was called up in the Senate again today by Chairman Chamberlain, of the Military Committee, but before it could receive consideration was displaced by other business.

FEDERAL BANK AT EL PASO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DALLAS (Tex.) March 28.—A branch of the Dallas Federal Reserve Bank was definitely located at El Paso and will be established at once, according to W. F. Ramsey, chairman of the board of the Dallas bank.

COUPLE FOUND DEAD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND (Cal.) March 28.—The bodies of Howard W. Gregg, a well-to-do San Francisco broker, and his wife, Alice Savage Gregg, were found last night in their home. Gregg O'Brien, a nephew, told the police that the dead man was of a violently jealous disposition.

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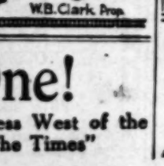

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"Allies will Win."

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ter-assaults, which officers feel certain will not long be delayed.

War Department officials appeared to be satisfied that substantial American forces would enter the battle lines with the French when the signal for the counter-blow is given. Maj.-Gen. March, acting Chief of Staff, stated flatly, however, that he was not advised as to the numbers or disposition of American units which may be employed with the French army of attack.

APPREHENSION.

The new outbreak of the German thrust at Arras, reported early in the day, caused some apprehension here, lest the Allies might find it necessary to further delay their effort to catch the German forces on the rebound and seek victory after bitter days of steady yielding of ground. Definite word from Gen. Haig that this new drive also had been checked added to the growing conviction that the strategy of the Allies will triumph.

If their reasoning is correct, the Germans face the prospect of seeing their third great effort on the western front since the beginning of the war meet the fate of others.

Only twice before have the Germans undertaken major operations in this main theater of the war. Their first rush in 1914 was stopped, as their last and perhaps their final effort nearly four years later is now apparently being stopped, by skillful retirement. Their only other great assault, at Verdun, was an unqualified defeat.

TO DIVERT RESERVES.

The thrust at Arras may have been for the purpose of diverting British reserves from the real objective of German strategy far to the south, where French and British lines connect. The success of that purpose is highly doubtful, since the initial effort was parried by troops already in position in this sector. There was no time to bring divisions back from the south, so it seems certain that the regular garrison of this portion of the British lines was sufficient to repel the enemy. This fact alone is regarded as eloquent evidence of the waning power of the German war machine.

Meantime, attention here was not diverted from the chief theater, the British-French junction. The French counter-attack there was closely watched. It may develop into a great movement, though early reports indicated that it was aimed at local objectives and that the time was not yet ripe for the great counter-effort. Dispatches from the French front told of thronging reserves behind the lines.

DISTINCT RELIEF.

There is no denying that Gen. Haig's report brought distinct relief here. The fact that the Germans had found sufficient strength to endeavor to widen their hold on the British line, just when all signs pointed toward the exhaustion of their forces, was regarded as an ominous sign.

Unless the Germans are successful in crushing the British army and severing it from the French, observers here can see nothing but ultimate defeat for Germany. The prestige of the German army at home may well be in the balance, and, in view of the terrible losses already inflicted by the Allies, it is believed nothing short of a decisive victory and an opening of the road to an early peace will justify the cost of the drive in German eyes at home.

Some officials were inclined to ascribe the increased destruction of British tonnage during the last week by submarines to a co-ordinated effort on land and sea. They thought it possible that the German Admiralty had exerted itself to the utmost to add a naval offensive to the drive of the army by the only means in their power, the U-boats.

As to the increased sinkings, naval officials were undisturbed by the figures. They are quite confident of their ability, in co-operation with the British navy, to hold the submarines finally to the point where sinkings will be few and far between.

VILLAGES CAPTURED, IS BERLIN REPORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) March 28.—The report from general headquarters tonight says:

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Money.

LIBERTY LOAN GOALS ARRANGED BY M'ADOO.

San Francisco Given Same Proportion as in the Second Loan.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Subscription goals which each Federal Reserve District will be expected to reach or pass during the third Liberty Loan campaign opening April 6, arranged today by the Treasury, give the New York district 30 per cent. of the $3,000,000,000 loan total, or $900,000,000, as its share, the same as in the second loan. The Chicago district is allotted 14 1-6 per cent., or $425,000,000, and the Cleveland district 10 per cent., or $300,000,000.

In calculating the wealth and general business conditions of various districts as the basis for the quotas, it was found Boston had been given a disproportionate share in the second loan, and the district's percentage has been reduced from 10 to 8½ per cent. Cleveland, Minneapolis and San Francisco were given the same proportions as in the second loan and other districts were raised slightly.

The goals of each State, county and city will be determined by Federal Reserve District committees on the basis of population, wealth and business conditions. These will be announced locally within a week or two.

Quotas by districts are as follows:

	Third Liberty Loan. P.c.	Quota.	Second Liberty Loan. P.c.	Quota.	Subscriptions.
Boston	8½	$250,000,000	10	$300,000,000	$ 476,000,000
New York	30	900,000,000	30	900,000,000	1,550,000,000
Philadelphia	8½	250,000,000	8¼	250,000,000	280,000,000
Cleveland	10	300,000,000	10	300,000,000	486,000,000
Richmond	4½	130,000,000	4	120,000,000	201,000,000
Atlanta	3	90,000,000	2¾	80,000,000	90,000,000
Chicago	14 1-6	425,000,000	14	420,000,000	585,000,000
St. Louis	4½	130,000,000	4	120,000,000	104,000,000
Minneapolis	3½	105,000,000	3½	105,000,000	140,000,000
Kansas City	4½	130,000,000	4	120,000,000	150,000,000
Dallas	2⅔	80,000,000	2½	75,000,000	77,000,000
San Francisco	7	210,000,000	7	210,000,000	292,000,000

May Expel Slackers.

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in their cries of disloyalty were not those who have sons in the army.

Senator King of Utah, Democrat, interrupted to say that he did not believe any member of the Democratic side had intimated there had been any disloyalty on the Republican side of the chamber.

Referring to James Thompson, Senator Gronna said vigorously pounding his desk with clenched fist: "I know him plenty and know that he is just as loyal as the Senator from Mississippi. He's not disloyal."

Senator Owen, deploring the political discussion, said that most German-Americans are now patriotically supporting their government.

"It will not strengthen the United States to wound the feelings of these people," he said. "I deprecate any speech that will cause them to feel they are objects of support, aversion, or positive hostility. They deserve all the more honor because of their fidelity to the United States. I deprecate exceedingly that there should be any appearance of political debate on the floor."

WILSON PAVES WAY TO SELL OUT KAISER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—President Wilson today signed the bill which paves the way for the sale of great German properties in America and permits the government to acquire title to the great German steamship piers and docks at Hoboken, N. J.

Properties and investments of the German Junkers, including the former Chancellor, Von Bethmann-Hollweg, and even the Kaiser himself, will be sold to the highest bidders.

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Drive at an End.

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three days. Progress by the French for a considerable distance into the German forces would cut off the Teutons fighting at the very tip of the plow-share, and compel them to retreat, or at least pause until the menace of their communications can be removed.

FRENCH ADVANCE.

A further advance by the French might easily overturn the whole plan of the Germans and bring about a new phase of the battle, in which the Allies would strike hard all along the front and compel the Germans to relinquish their dearly-bought conquests.

The German activity near Arras may have for its purpose either a new drive at the Allies' lines or a defensive operation intended to stop an English blow from the north coincident with that begun by the French.

The British held firm north of the Scarpe, but to the south of the river have been driven back. Their line now is near that occupied in July, 1916, and runs straight from Arleux, north of Arras, to Boisleux, on the line held by the British on the north side of the dent driven into their lines by the German thrust.

Berlin admits that the losses have been very heavy. The casualties are referred to as "normal," which, in view of the magnitude of the battle, may mean that the Germans have paid heavily for the ground they have won.

It is admitted that at certain points the losses have been greater, but it is pointed out that the proportion of slightly wounded is very high.

Americans have been in the fighting and have acquitted themselves nobly. Dispatches from Paris state that they have won the praise of the French officers for their conduct in the midst of the mighty battle. It is said that American divisions are among the units forming the "strategic reserve" of the Allied armies. If that is the case, it is probable they were in the fighting near Noyon yesterday and shared with the French the burden of breaking into the German lines.

MAY BE DRIVE IN ITALY.

There has been nothing from the other sectors in Belgium, France or Italy to indicate a new drive in any of them is imminent. There have been artillery duels at various points, but no infantry fighting is noted in official reports.

The British army in Mesopotamia has achieved a signal success against the Turks by either killing or capturing the entire Turkish force in the neighborhood of Hit. This town is on the Euphrates, about 100 miles to the westward of Bagdad. It is reported that British cavalry is operating in the rear of the Turkish forces.

BAKER IN PARIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—Secretary of War Baker arrived in Paris today from London.

French Assault.

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troops this morning counter-attacked with great dash and drove back the enemy on a front of ten kilometers to a depth of three kilometers southward of Noyon.

This announcement was made in the British official summary of the situation issued this evening.

The summary adds that the Germans last night entered Montdidier.

Blocked on the Lassigny and Noyon fronts and on the left bank of the Oise, the Germans last night threw forward important forces in the region of Montdidier, the War Office announced today. Here the fighting rapidly took on extraordinary ferocity.

French regiments fought hand-to-hand with the enemy and inflicted heavy losses.

Finally the French fell back to the heights immediately to the west of Montdidier.

Fighting was continuing with violence yesterday evening and last night on the battle front, the War Office announced today.

The text reads:

"The battle was fought with sustained violence yesterday evening and last night. The Germans, blocked by the valiant French troops and cruelly punished before the Lassigny and Noyon fronts and the left bank of the River Oise, concentrated all their efforts on the French left, and threw forward important forces in the region of Montdidier.

"At this point the engagements soon developed an unheard of ferocity. French regiments, fighting hand-to-hand, inflicted heavy losses upon their assailants, and did not falter. Finally they withdrew in order to the heights immediately to the west of Montdidier.

"There has been intermittent cannonading on the remainder of the front."

London Official.

GERMANS CROSS SOMME, FORCING BRITISH BAC

French Pressure on Enemy Continues Counter-attack Near Noyon.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—Last night the Germans effected a crossing of the Somme near Chipilly, compelling the British left flank south of the river to fall back.

The French pressure on the enemy is continuing in the area of their counter-attack south of Noyon.

The British are holding their positions north of the Somme, their line in that area standing virtually the same as last night. Several German attacks in this region were repulsed last night.

OFFICIAL REPORT.

The statement follows:

"During the night the enemy succeeded in crossing the Somme from the north to the south near Chipilly and consequently the left flank of our troops south of the Somme was compelled to fall back towards Hamel. From that place the line runs through Lamotte-en-Santerre, Caix, Vrely and Warvillers.

"South of this the French were last night pressed back along the Roye-Breteuil road and the enemy entered Montdidier."

The Germans threw at least seven divisions into an attack on the British front on both sides of the Scarpe River, after a heavy bombardment this morning. The British forward zone was penetrated and a fierce engagement took place in the battle zone.

This attack was delivered opposite Arras. In the region affected the British line now runs from Arleux to Fampoux, Neuville-le-Vitasse and Boisleux.

In the Montdidier region the Entente line now runs from Warvillers, through Arvillers, Davenscourt, Gratibus and Mesnil-St. Georges, to Hainvillers. (This line incloses Montdidier within a sharp salient, the apex of which is at Mesnil-St. Georges, about two and one-half miles southwest of Montdidier.)

"From Warvillers the line runs through Arvillers, Davenscourt, Gratibus and Mesnil-St. Georges to Hainvillers," the statement adds.

"Between the latter place and Pont L'Eveque, south of Noyon, the French this morning counter-attacked in force and with great dash drove back the enemy on a front of ten kilometers to a depth of three kilometers.

Destruction.

WONDER GUN SHELLS DUNKIRK

Foe Reported to Have Killed Twenty Persons There.

Bombardment Said to Have Damaged Property.

Kaiser Expresses His Imperial Thanks to the Krupps.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—Reports reached Paris today that the channel port of Dunkirk, which has been bombarded intermittently by the Germans with long-range cannon, has been under fire again for several days. The number of victims is placed as high as twenty and the material damage is said to have been severe.

KAISER THANKS KRUPPS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, March 28. — The gun with which the Germans are bombarding Paris is a product of the Krupp works at Essen. Emperor William has sent a telegram of thanks to Dr. Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, the head of the Krupp works. The telegram reads:

"By the bombardment of Paris from a distance of considerably more than 100 kilometers your new gun has brilliantly stood the test. By the manufacture of the new gun you have added a new page to the fame and history of Krupp. I therefore express to you and all your co-workers my imperial thanks for this achievement of German science and labor."

SPANISH CREDIT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MADRID, Wednesday, March 27. —The Madrid press is claiming for two Catalonian Spaniards credit for the invention of the long-range gun which bombarded Paris. These Spaniards are declared to have been working for Kruppo on the invention since 1916.

The inventors, according to the press, offered the invention to Spain and then to the Allies, but met with unfavorable responses. The German Consulate at Barcelona is said to have sent the men to Germany in a submarine after purchasing the ideas.

The invention is explained as that of two or three subsidiary fuses detonated in the flying missile.

UNIONITE LEADERS WILL SAIL FOR EUROPE

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—To make known to British and French labor the position of labor in the United States with regard to the war, a delegation of nine American labor leaders with credentials of the American Federation of Labor will sail shortly for England and France.

The mission, officially known as the "American Federation of Labor Mission," is composed of the following:

James Wilson, president Hatmakers' League of North America, chairman; John P. Frey, secretary-officer International Molders' Union of North America, secretary; William Short, president Western Federation of Labor; Miss Hilda Svenson, president Straw Hat Trimmers' and Operatives' Union; Miss Agnew Nestor, vice-president Glove Workers' International Union; William H. Johnson, president of the International Association of Machinists; George L. Berry, president of the International Printing Pressmen's and Assistants' Union; Chester M. Wright, member International Typographical Union; Martin F. Ryan, president of the Brotherhood

London Official.

CROSS SOMME, ING BRITISH BACK

re on Enemy Continues Attack Near Noyon.

[ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

Last night pressure on the enemy in this continues.

"North of the Somme our line remains substantially the same as last night. Several attacks were made during the night in the neighborhood of Beaumont-Hamel, Ransart and northwest of Puisieux. These were all repulsed.

"This morning the enemy opened a heavy bombardment north and south of the Scarpe River, and followed this by an attack opposite Arras with at least seven divisions. The enemy on this front penetrated our forward zone and a fierce engagement took place in the battle zone.

"Our line here now runs from Arleux to Fampoux, Neuville-Vitasse and Boisleux, and thence as before. The fighting here has been severe and the enemy is reported to have lost very heavily."

GIVES HIMSELF UP.

Camp Lewis Officer Wanted on Charge of Passing Bad Checks and Desertion Surrenders.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP LEWIS (Wash.) March 28. —Trailed across the continent by secret service men and the intelligence department of the army, Second Lieutenant Stanley F. Walker, charged by several Tacoma business firms with passing worthless checks and by the military authorities with desertion, voluntarily reported to the camp last night after an absence of several weeks and was immediately placed under arrest. Walker has been absent from camp since soon in February.

From there on trace of him was lost. Walker was said to have an affinity in Los Angeles, whence he came and it was thought he might go there. A few days ago he unfortunately reported to the War Department in Washington, D. C. The officer before whom he appeared, not knowing that Walker was wanted for obtaining money under false pretenses, ordered him to report to the Tacoma army camp immediately. It is probable that before charges will be brought he will be given a thorough mental examination by a board appointed for this purpose.

Ships.

BUILD MORE STEEL SHIPS.

Task to be Undertaken by a Los Angeles Company.

Government Wants Ten Additional from Harbor.

Details to be Worked Out for Drydock Scheme.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28.—Los Angeles is to get many more steel ships.

As the course of the conference between Fred L. Baker, president of the Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, and the officials of the Shipping Board, it developed that the government wants a new and successful yard to undertake the construction of ten, three or twenty more steel ships of the 8500 and 9500-ton class. So impressed are the Shipping Board officials with the businesslike methods and prompt efficiency of the Los Angeles plant that they not only want them to build more ships and the big dry dock, but their attitude has improved the position of the local manufacturers with other departments of the government.

Just how many ships will be finally developed in the Los Angeles yard is problematical. With the two new ways now being built, making six in all, the plant could move out ships rapidly if the steel fabrication and delivery could keep pace with the ways in the plant. There is where the hitch is, and until that factor can be determined the shipbuilding people do not want to take on too ambitious a programme. Mr. Baker will today, after the conference, that exactly his plant would do what the government wanted done as near as it lay in its power. It is more than probable—in fact certain—that two ships will go to Mr. Baker's plant, and possibly more.

As outlined in The Times two days ago, the government has decided in favor of the building of the dry dock, and it only remains for the details to be worked out. It is understood that the government will provide one-third of the cost and advance the remainder of the cost, the company to repay this amount over a number of years, on such basis of interest and repayment as may be agreed upon. It is expected that this will be all cleared up and a contract entered into within the next few days.

INCOME TAX REPORTS.

Internal Revenue Collectors Being Deluged — Next Monday Time Limit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—With the end of the income and excess profits tax return period only four days distant, thousands of reports from district revenue collectors, according to reports to the Internal Revenue Bureau here, have corporations with compliment profits or income situations and working accountants day and night to complete their return by next Monday midnight, and the same rush is felt by concerns employing thousands of men for each of whom the pay of more than $1000 a year a report must be made. The penalty for not making return by midnight of April 1 is a fine of between $20 and $1000 and an imposition of 50 per cent. of the tax assessed.

HIBERNIANS OPPOSE DRAFT EXEMPTION.

RESERVE IRISH-BORN BRITISH SUBJECTS HERE SHOULD GO TO WAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—National officers and directors of the ancient Order of Hibernians, who closed a three days' meeting here, will last night the sentiment of the meeting was that the Irish in the United States are opposed to the exemption provision in the British-American draft treaty which would exempt British subjects born in Ireland and living in the United States. The officers and directors adopted resolutions urging every member of the order to redouble his efforts in the work of making the third Liberty Loan a success.

FOURTEEN AMERICANS GIVEN FRENCH CROSS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—Three officers and eleven men of the United States Army Ambulance Corps have been decorated with the war cross by the French government. The men to receive the honor are Lieut. Joseph Garrowood of section 633, Lieut. Clifford D. Kinsley, Lieut. Otka F. Doubek, Privates Louis E. Timson, Arthur W. Crosby, John F. Fitzpatrick, Robert R. Gaf, C. V. Tompkins, J. T. Brown, John B. Wood, Richard Baker, Oliver U. Mott, section 516, and Privates Richard Y. Duel and George Hughes Butler of section 642.

PACIFIC PORT LAUNCHES THIRTEEN VESSELS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

A PACIFIC PORT, March 28.—The 9140-ton steel ship, the third vessel to be launched from the shipyards this year, took the water here late today. She is the fourth steel ship to be launched in this year, and the fifth steel ship to be launched in 1918 by her builders.

GERMANS EXECUTE NUNS AND CHAPLAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—An official dispatch from France said that the chaplain and two nuns of the hospital of St. Elizabeth at Gerbevoy have been executed by the Germans. They were killed in the courtyard of the barracks at the same time as the Belgian oculist, Dr. Lemaire.

Berlin Official.

MONTDIDIER CAPTURED BY CROWN PRINCE'S ARMY.

German Loss Within Normal Limits, the People are Told.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, March 28.—(British admiralty, per Wireless Press.)—Troops of the German Crown Prince having penetrated to a depth of sixty kilometers (37 miles) from St. Quentin, across the Somme, have captured Montdidier, says today's official report.

The German losses have been kept within normal limits, says the communication, although they have been heavier at the vital points on the front. The slightly wounded are estimated at sixty to seventy per cent.

South of the Somme the Germans broke through the old enemy positions at many points and drove back the British and French into territory which had remained untouched by war since 1914, says the statement.

LINES ADVANCED.

The Crown Prince's troops in their push which resulted in the taking of Montdidier, advanced their lines as far as Pierrepont (on the Avre, four miles northwest of Montdidier.)

The text of the statement reads:

"On the battlefield of Flanders the English again brought up divisions which they had brought up from other fronts. To the northwest of Bapaume, we drove the enemy back of the old crater positions in the direction of Bucquoy and Hebterne.

"The enemy fought fruitlessly with special stubbornness to retake Albert. Strong attacks accompanied by tanks broke down with sanguinary losses on the slopes of the hills to the west of the town.

BREAK THROUGH.

"To the south of the Somme our divisions at many points broke their way through the old enemy positions and drove the British and French back into regions of France which have remained untouched by war since 1914.

"The victorious troops of the German Crown Prince have penetrated into the enemy positions to a depth of sixty kilometers in an uninterrupted attack from St. Quentin across the Somme. They pushed forward yesterday as far as Pierrepont and took possession of Montdidier."

"Our losses have been generally kept within normal limits, although at some of the most vital points they were heavier. Out of every 100 wounded, it is estimated that from sixty to seventy received slight injuries.

"On the Lorraine front, artillery battles increased in violence. Capt. Baron von Nichthofen has achieved his seventy-first and seventy-second aerial victories.

"From the other theaters of the war there is nothing new to report."

AUSTRIAN REPORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—"On the western front to attack has again won ground," says an official Austrian statement received here today.

The Ally's Blow.

FRENCH ATTACK REGAINS TOWNS NEAR MONTDIDIER

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—The French official night statement reads:

"Continuing to attack with strong forces in the region of Montdidier during the whole morning, the enemy attempted to enlarge his gains west and south of this town, but with magnificent elan our troops counter-attack with the bayonet and drove the Germans out of the villages of Courtemanche, Mesnil-St. Georges and Assainvillers, which we have occupied and hold solidly. On the Somme sector we are holding our line solidly.

"Our troops have made an advance over a front of about ten kilometers long and two kilometers deep on the front from Lassigny to Noyon. On the left bank of the Oise savage attacks by the enemy has given him no advantage, our troops holding positions energetically."

WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Eastern States Dry and Cold, but Wyoming has More Snow. Rain in Central West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28.—Eastern and East Central States were dry and cold today. In the West Central group temperatures rose and several States reported ample rain. Wyoming was the only locality reporting additional snow. All the South was hot and dry, excepting the Texas gulf coast region. Western Canada is warmer, but the eastern provinces continue near the zero mark.

Temperatures generally yesterday, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau in Los Angeles, were as follows:

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	74	44	Phoenix	100	66
Bakersfield	90	52	Pittsburgh	50	36
Boise	60	34	Pocatello	48	42
Boston	50	36	Portland, Or.	56	46
Boston	44	30	Rapid City	44	26
Buffalo	42	26	Red Bluff	66	46
Corona	70	46	Redlands	80	44
Denver	44	32	Reno	58	32
Des Moines	42	30	Riverside	78	48
Dodge City	72	50	Roseburg	58	42
El Cajon	66	46	Roswell	72	50
Escondido	68	42	Salt Lake City	52	34
Eureka	58	42	St. Paul	46	30
Flagstaff	54	22	Sacramento	70	46
Fresno	72	46	San Luis Obispo	66	46
Galveston	78	56	Santa Barbara	66	48
Havre	38	24	S. Bernardino	80	46
Helena	38	26	San Diego	68	52
Huron	56	30	San Fernando	76	46
Independence	68	40	San Francisco	58	46
Kamloops	46	34	S. Luis Obispo	70	42
Kansas City	60	34	Seattle	52	40
Knoxville	60	40	Spokane	52	30
Los Angeles	74	54	Tampa	80	60
Memphis	70	50	Tonopah	58	34
Modena	70	44	Tucson	84	44
Mt. Wilson	56	38	Tustin	76	42
Nantucket	46	36	Washington	52	36
New Orleans	76	58	Williamina	46	30
New York	48	36	Winnipeg	46	32
North Head	54	46	Yuma	84	52
Oklahoma	70	48			
Pasadena	*80	42			

*Previous day.

CHICAGO HOTEL QUOTA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 28.—Managers of forty Chicago hotels, meeting here today, agreed that $2,000,000 should be the quota of their establishments in the Third Liberty Loan campaign.

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We have so often received requests for End of the Month Specials the day previous and the day following the sale that we take this occasion to announce to our patrons that our End of the Month Sale lasts just one day.

Every department throughout the store has contributed its share of bargains—never was there such an opportunity for money saving as you will find at Hale's today.

Notice to Charge Customers

Charge Purchases Made During "End of the Month Sale" Will Appear on the Statement Mailed You April 30th.

35c Dress Voiles 19c

Dainty striped and figured patterns for spring and summer frocks. 36 inches wide. Various colors. 19c will be the Month End price on dress voiles that are worth 35c.

40c White Voiles 29c

Corded and striped white voiles 32 inches wide. Handsome patterns for waists and dresses. 40c usually. 29c a yard in this sale.

—**Serpentine Crepe,** pretty kimono patterns in serpentine crepes that are generally selling at 30c. A special for the End of the Month Sale **25c**

—$1.25 **Vivella Flannel,** attractive striped patterns for dresses, shirts and pajamas. Sale price, the yard **75c**

—**Fruit of the Loom Muslin** that sells right along at 27½c a yard. Bleached and 36 inches wide. Short lengths in the End of the Month Sale limit (10 yards,) the yard **22c**

—25c **Nainsook,** white nainsook for undermuslins, 36 inches wide. The bolt **$2.25**

(Hale's—Main Floor)

$1.40 Sheets for $1.15

81x90-inch sheets, seamless and full bleached. Heavy weight sheets worth $1.40. Limit 2 to a customer. Month End price—$1.15 each.

—$1.50 **Sheets,** seamless, full bleached sheets that measure 2¼ yards wide and 2¾ yards long. Sale price **$1.25**

—30c and 35c **Pillow Cases,** bleached pillow cases, 45x36-inch size. Sale price **25c**

30c **Pillow Cases,** full bleached, 45 x36-inch size. Limit 6 to a customer **22c**

—18c and 20c **Huck Towels,** white huck towels with colored borders. Sale price **15c**

—35c **Bath Towels,** full bleached and large size, measuring 22x44 inches. Sale price **25c**

—20c **Crash Toweling,** heavy weight with colored border. Month End price **15c**

(Hale's—Main Floor)

75c Table Damask 60c

Linen finished table damask, full bleached and 64 inches wide. Floral, dot and conventional patterns. The usual 75c grade for 60c a yard in the End of the Month Sale.

$1 Table Cloths 69c

45x45-inch table cloths, hemmed ready to use. $1.00 values. Specials for this Month End Sale—69c each.

$4.50 Napkins $3.75 Dozen

Linen napkins of a coarse heavy weave. Will give splendid service. $4.50 values for $3.75 a dozen in the Month End Sale.

(Hale's—Main Floor)

Silk Envelope Chemises $1.95

Made of crepe de chine with wide lace camisole tops. $2.50 values. Sizes 38 to 46.

—**Women's 65c Bloomers** of white cotton crepe. Good length and full. Sale price **50c**

$1.50 Kid Gloves $1.25

Women's white lambskin gloves in sizes 5½ to 7. One-clasp style, with P. K. seams and two-toned or self-colored stitching. Month End specials at $1.25.

Broken Lines of $1.50 Gloves 79c

Women's kid gloves and cape gloves in small sizes only—sizes 5½ to 5¾. Regular $1.50 gloves, in the Month End Sale for 79c a pair.

—75c **CHAMOIS LISLE GLOVES**—White only. Two-clasp styles, in sizes 5½ to 8. Sale price, each **50c**

—$1.50 **SILK GLOVES**—White only. Two-clasp styles, with double-tipped fingers. Sizes 5½ to 8. Sale price **50c**

(Hale's—Main Floor)

Children's Coveralls $1.00

Cunning styles in "Sassy Jane" coveralls for children of 6 to 14 years. Made of plain colored chambray, trimmed with plaids. Month End price—$1.00.

Children's $2.50 Sweaters $1.95

Children's wool sweaters, with roll collars, belted and pocketed. Choice of rose and blue. $2.50 values for $1.95 in the Month End Sale.

$2.50 Rain Capes $2.15

Children's tan-colored rain capes. In sizes 6 to 12 years. $2.50 regularly. $2.15 in the End-of-the-Month-Sale.

(Hale's—Third Floor)

Beautiful New Lingerie Blouses $5.00 Values $2.95

A collection of beautiful lingerie blouses bought at a special price for the End of the Month Sale. Sheer voiles trimmed with dainty laces. Square, round and V-neck styles with pretty and unusual cuffs and collars. Waists of the character generally priced $5.

—$1.50 **Lingerie Waists,** fine voiles with dainty inserts of lace and embroidery. Finished with large collars. Sizes to 46. Sale price **$1.35**

—$1.35 **Lingerie Waists,** voile with dainty lace and organdie embroidery trimmings. Some with lace collars and frills **85c**

—$1.00 **Lingerie Waists,** pretty styles including some with the roll collars as well as the larger collars. Sale price **69c**

—$3.95 **Georgette Waists,** dark shades, plum, black, brown, navy and green with white vests. A very light shade will be included in the Month-End Sale at **$2.95**

—$3.95 **Waists,** of crepe de chine and Georgette crepe, also lace waists in black or white. Sizes as large as 44. Month-End price **$2.79**

Pure Silk Crepe de Chine $1.10

It Sells Regularly at $1.75 a Yd.

All silk crepe de chines of the most desirable weight and weave. 40 inches wide. White, pink, flesh and a complete range of street and evening shades. The price generally asked for them is $1.75. They'll be a big feature of the End of the Month Sale at just $1.10 a yard.

—**HEAVY BLACK SATINS** with a bright lustrous finish. 36 inches wide. $1.59 value. 150 yards to be sold in the Month End Sale **$1.25**

—$1.75 **BLACK TAFFETA,** rich black taffetas in a perfect weave. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **$1.39**

—$1.75 **NOVELTY SILKS,** in a wide range of patterns and colors. 36 inches wide. Plaids, stripes, dots and figures in foulard, satin and taffeta weaves. Month End price **$1.39**

—$1.75 **GEORGETTE CREPE,** the most popular of all silks for spring. 40 inches wide. 30 different shades as well as black and white in the Month End Sale **$1.35**

Plain and Fancy Silks $1.00

Silks That Are Worth $1.50

Plain and fancy silks that are a good heavy weight and pure silk. Beautiful patterns in stripes—also plain satins in pink, Nile green, light blue, Copenhagen, old rose, French blue, navy, tan, light gray and many other shades. Silks that are well worth $1.50. A big Month End special at $1.00 a yard.

—$1.75 **SILK SHIRTING,** all silk shirtings, white grounds with colored stripes in beautiful colors. 36 inches wide. The yard **$1.45**

—$1.25 **SILK MIXED FOULARDS,** heavy quality in twenty different patterns. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **98c**

—$1.25 **ART SILK SHIRTINGS,** heavy quality. Good patterns. 36 inches wide. Sale price **$1.00**

—59c **SILK MIXED CREPE DE CHINE,** in a good wide color range. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **39c**

—85c **A. B. C. SILKS** and Teekay silks in a full color range including flesh, pink and white. Much in demand for underwear. Month End price, the yard **69c**

Dress Goods Remnants ¼ to ½ Off

Remnants of all-wool dress goods and wool mixtures in lengths ranging from 1½ yds. to 6 and 7 yards, will go into the End of the Month Sale at one-fourth to one-half off the regular prices.

—75c **NOVELTY DRESS GOODS,** novelty dress goods, 36 inches wide. Checks and plaids. Sale price **50c**

$1.00 **DRESS GOODS,** fancy plaids in five different patterns. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **79c**

—$1.75 **SKIRTINGS,** gray skirtings in mixed striped patterns. 58 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **$1.35**

—50c **SATEENS** with a permanent mercerized finish. A full range of colors as well as black and white. 36 inches wide. Sale price **39c**

—$1.00 **BLACK VENETIAN COAT LININGS,** with a bright satin finish. Heavy weight. Sale price, the yard **79c**

—75c **NOVELTY SATEENS,** novelty figured and striped linings. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **50c**

7 Spools Coats Thread 25c

We have set aside two thousand spools to go into the End-of-the Month Sale at this price. J. P. Coats best 6-cord spool cotton, black and white, in all numbers. Not more than 7 spools to a customer.

—15c **Belting,** stayed belting, black and white in various widths. Sale price, the yard **10c**

—25c **Sanitary Belts,** medium and large sizes, made of flexible web **15c**

5c **Coat Hangers,** rust proof wire coat hangers that can be covered with ribbon or used plain **2½c**

—10c **Bolt Lingerie Tape,** 4 and 5 yard bolts in pink, blue and white. Bodkin included **5c**

—5c **Buttons,** sweetwater pearl buttons in 20 to 36 ligne. 6 on a card **2½c**

—25c **Hair Nets,** large size real human hair nets in blonde, light brown and medium brown. Sale price **5c**

—10c and 12½c **Bias Tape,** of white cambric, 3 widths. 12-yard bolts for **6c**

Ready-to-wear Hats $1.65

Snappy styles in banded sailors of Lizere and plain hemps in taupe, brown, blue and black. Extraordinary values for the Month-End sale at $1.65.

Flower-Trimmed Hats $3.45

Pretty hand-made hats—popular novelty braids have been used for the shapes with flowers and ribbons for the trimmings. Every color that is in demand for Spring. Month-End specials at $3.45.

Women's House Dresses

A Sample Line at Special Month-End Prices

A sample line of women's house dresses and bungalow aprons bought especially for the Month End sale. The house dresses include sizes 36 and 38 only. Bungalow aprons in medium and large sizes.

$1.25 House Dresses and Bungalow Aprons for 95c
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$1.00 House Dresses 75c

Neat styles in women's house dresses made of ginghams and percales, some trimmed with embroidery. Mostly small sizes. $1.00 values for 75c in the End of the Month Sale.

Hundreds of Coats at Wonderful Savings

Lot No. 1

$4.98

Full length coats of all wool materials, fancy tweeds, zibeline plaids and novelty checks in light spring colorings. Sizes 34 to 40 for misses and women.

Lot No. 2

$8.88

Women's full length coats. Good looking styles made of very serviceable tweeds, cheviots and basket weaves. Belted models with large collars. Sale price—$8.88.

Lot No. 3

$13.98

Handsome coats of wool velour, wool Jersey and novelty mixtures in blue, black and all colors. Fall coats, including some with plush collars. Sizes from 34 to 50 bust measure.

All Wool Serge Skirts $3.88

Suskanna Silk Poplin Skirts $3.88

Neat and attractive skirts made of all-wool serge in navy blue and black. Also Suskanna silk poplin skirts in black, tan, gray, blue and purple. Sizes from 24 to 29 waist measure. Month End Sale specials at $3.88.

Nearly a Hundred Spring Suits

Go Into the Month End Sale at

$13.98

The lot may not last throughout the day, so come early. French serges and storm serges in tan, gray and Copenhagen, also black and white shepherd checks. Sizes from 34 to 44 for misses and women. New spring suits that are worth considerably more. A big feature of the End of the Month Sale at $13.98.

Hale's GOOD GOODS
341-343-345 S. BROADWAY

$1.25 Middies for 75c

Open-front styles with short sleeves. Red and khaki-colored collars. 16, 18 and 20-year sizes. $1.25 values for 75c in the End-of-the-Month Sale.

Blue Middies $1.25

Slipover middies in Copenhagen blue with white silk laces. Long sleeves, 14 to 22-year sizes. Month-End special at $1.25.

75c Middies for 49c

Children's middies in 6 to 14-year sizes. Made of heavy white muslin with blue, pink or black checked trimmings. 75c values for 49c, in the End-of-the-Month Sale.

$1.25 Corsets for 95c

Medium and low-bust corsets with long skirt. Made of pink or white coutil with wide spoon steel and good non-rustable boning. Good assortment of sizes. Regular $1.25 corsets for 95c in the End-of-the-Month Sale.

Girls' $5 Dresses $2.50

Girls' corduroy and blue serge dresses. 6, 8 and 10 year sizes. $5.00 values for $2.50 in the Month-End Sale.

—Girls' $8.00 Coats—A very small lot in the 6 year size only. Specially priced for the Month-End Sale at **$2.50**

—Girls' $3.00 White Dresses, sizes 8 to 16 years. Lace trimmed styles set off with ribbon bows and a few trimmed with embroidery **$1.95**

—Girls' $1.50 Gingham Dresses, plaids, stripes and plain colors, 6 to 14 year sizes. Well-made little frocks. Month-End specials at **$1.00**

$1.00 Dresses for Little Tots 75c

New styles that are unusually attractive. Made of sturdy ginghams in checks, plaids and stripes, also plain colors. They're well worth $1.00. 75c in the Month-End Sale.

Boys' Rompers 25c

Boys' rompers of blue gingham with elastic at the knee. 2, 3 and 4 year sizes. 40c values.

(Hale's—3rd Floor)

$25 Velvet Rugs $17.95

Seamless velvet rugs in a beautiful Oriental medallion pattern in soft rich colors. 9x12-ft. size. $25 rugs for $17.95 in the End-of-the-Month Sale.

$25.00 Brussels Rugs $17.95

9x12-ft seamless tapestry Brussels rugs in Oriental patterns and colors. Worth $25. Month-End price, $17.95.

—$32.50 **Axminster Rugs,** with a deep rich pile. Oriental patterns in the 9x12-ft. size. Sale price **$22.50**

—$40.00 **Axminster Rugs** of a fine quality and beautiful patterns 9x12-ft. size. Sale price **$29.75**

—**Reversible Smyrna Rugs,** 7½x9-ft. size, $5.00 values for $3.49. 9x9-ft. size, $6.00 values for $4.15. 9x10½-ft. size, $7.00 values for $4.79. 9x12-ft. size, $8.00 values for $5.49.

—**Wool and Fiber Rugs,** 6x9-ft. size, $4.75 values for $2.79. 7½x9-ft. size, $5.75 values for $3.89. 9x9-ft. size, $6.25 values for $4.25. 9x10½-ft. size, $6.75 values for $4.85. 9x12-ft. size, $8.25 values for $5.95.

—$12.50 **Stenciled Grass Rugs,** best quality grass rugs with stenciled borders, 9x12-ft. size. Sale price **$8.95**

$1.10 Cork Linoleum 85c

Extra heavy printed cork linoleums in choice patterns. $1.10 is the regular price of this grade. 85c in the End of the Month Sale.

Month-End Prices on Drapery Fabrics

—36c **Curtain Scrim,** ecru colored curtain scrims 40 inches wide. Month-End price **10c**

—35c **Curtain Marquisette,** white and 36 inches wide. Sale price **17½c**

—45c and 40c **Cretonnes,** fine quality figured drapery cretonnes and figured sateen. Sale price. The yard **19c**

—36c **Curtain Nets,** beautiful figured filet curtain nets, 45 inches wide. White, ivory or ecru. The yard **43c**

—25c **Curtain Nets,** figured patterns in white and ecru, 36 inches wide. The yard **12½c**

—75c **Sunfast Draperies,** with a rich mercerized finish. Beautiful designs and colors, 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard **45c**

—25c **Curtain Voiles,** cream or ecru with pretty colored borders, 40 ins. wide. Sale price, the yard **17½c**

75c Lace Curtains 49c Pair

Ecru colored lace curtains with pretty borders, 2½ yds. long. 75c values for 49c a pair in the End of the Month Sale.

$2 Filet Curtains $1.50

White and ecru colored filet net curtains with dainty borders. 2½ yards long. $3.00 curtains for $1.50 pair in the End of the Month Sale.

$6.00 Irish Point Curtains $3.95

Handsome Irish point curtains in ecru color, 2½ yards long. Worth $6.00. A Month End special at $3.95 the pair.

Genuine Woolnap Blankets in the Month-End Sale

Genuine woolnap blankets in gray or white can be bought in the Month End Sale at $3.50 a pair—$6.00 is their value based on their present cost at the mill. Plaid woolnap blankets worth $6.50 will be sold in the End of the Month Sale at $3.75 a pair.

(Hale's—4th Floor)

Mattresses $8.50 Values $5.95

Felted cotton mattresses with a roll edge. Both full and three-quarter sizes. Covered with fancy ticking. Mattresses that are considered good values for $8.50. Important specials in the End of the Month Sale, $5.95.

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LOST—FOUND—STRAYED—and Stolen.

LOST — WEDNESDAY NIGHT, BETWEEN Athletic Club and Carlton Way, Hollywood, black bag with 2 handles and brass trimmings, containing purse, keys, etc. Name left in it. Finder will please call 10c fog smoking tobacco. Phone HDWY. 1006; F5940.

$25 REWARD; NO QUESTIONS ASKED, for return of strip of pink coral beads, lost from Chandler automobile March 28, on Seventh and Figueroa; call 2511 SPRING or 2511 Hartford Bldg., ask for Miss Carey, and receive reward.

LOST—TAN BAG BEARING TAG C. S. KENT, taken by mistake from Southern Pacific station; finding name and address in my charge will make me responsible. Please return. FOUNTAIN BROWN, R. F. Porter.

LOST—BETWEEN CULVER CITY AND OCEAN Park, coat containing bank book; also coupon book with coupons to amount of $5 inclosed. Finder will please return to J. F. STUCKEIN, 1196 Leighton ave. 77321.

LOST—32ND DEGREE MASONIC PIN, WITH DIAmond in center; initials "W. H. H." engraved on back. Return to Brown Auto, or at 852 Cross court and carry at Bryson. Finder please call 72686.

LOST—TAN HAND GRIP, TAKEN BY MISTAKE Wednesday afternoon, 2:30; contains valuable papers. Still have reward for return. Return to 1000 Stimson bldg.

LOST—$10 REWARD FOR RETURN OF BLACK leather handbag stolen from auto at 6th and Broadway Wednesday afternoon. No questions asked. THOMAS HOTEL, Justin Hotel.

LOST—TAN LEATHER POCKETBOOK CONTAINING typewritten statements in lieu of no value to finder. Reward at any EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK BLDG. Tel. 63447.

LOST—ON W. JEFFERSON ST. OR LEFT AT car, abstract title of 80 acres of land, Lasen Co., Cal., in name of Fayette Hutton to ANDREW M. SYLVRIDGE, 621 W. 24th st.

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Don't waste any more time than is necessary in giving this the once over, as it's got to be sold if I'm the fool of April, so price don't figure. I will pay the mechanical bill if he claims anything is wrong. I've got it at the BOULEVARD GARAGE, 6024 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood. Phone 57287.

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Five-passenger, one of the most beautiful Hud with tires in perfect condition. Remember this car has the original Brisko Prestone top and other leather, Our price is right for the car, so don't miss this one today. 1626 S. Olive st. 61295.

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Original paint and upholstery, like new, driven very little and carefully. Owner wants us to sell this machine, so will do so if price and condition counts.
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Motor has just been thoroughly overhauled. Brand new coat of paint. 6 tires like new and this car is in A1 mechanical and wonderful condition. Can you beat this? $1050.
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Ten late model cars with electric starters and lights; will pay spot cash, no consignment. See MR. CAIDMAN, at 1606 S. Olive st., at the corner of 11th.

WANTED—5 OR 7-PASS. CAR, FOR TWO CLEAR lots, one near Sunset Blvd., 50x125 ft., value $800; other in Redondo Villa Tract, 30x125, value $250. I need a car. S. P. DONES, Broadway 1498.

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Wanted several good light cars at once. KENNETH D. WISE, 955 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LIGHT CARS FOR SPOT CASH, OLD or late models, cash waiting; bring your swaps. PETERSON'S, 1224 S. Main.

WANTED—A LATE BUICK 4, AN '18 MAXWELL, or Oldsmobile 6; must be in perfect condition and mention. MR. MAYER, 920 S. Main.

WANTED — FORDS, FORDS, FORDS, FORDS. Fords, Fords, PETERSON'S, 1224 S. Main st.

WANTED—OLD AUTOMOBILES IN ANY CONDITION. Highest cash prices paid. BOYLE 4041.

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WANTED—ABOUT 50 H.P. OLD CAR, IN GOOD condition. MAIN 2960; 72051.

Automobile Tires.

FOR SALE—880x3½ TIRE, INNER TUBE AND rim, in fine shape, $25. 451 N. JUANITA AVE. Phone 597403, Wilshire 3761.

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FOR SALE—BATTERY, 6 VOLT, 80 HOURS good condition; used 2 months; $15. Call 807 S. FIGUEROA ST. Battery No. 55.

Automobile Repairing and Painting.

FORD OWNERS—WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY of installing Ford starters and lights; also fit to any size you wish, handing the piston, scrape the bearings, and lineup up the motor with our new special machine for that; we are equipped for immediate service; our mechanics are competent, careful and thorough; yet with our special tools and machines we can get your car out in quick time. All work guaranteed. Charges fixed by the Ford Motor Co., and are very reasonable. We carry a complete line of Ford parts. HENDRICKSON & HASKETT CO., 2219 W. Pico. Authorized Ford service.

FIX YOUR CAR— 50c PER HOUR
Guaranteed auto repairing of every description; machine work, welding, ignition. Try us. Valuing free. N. A. S., 649 E. Figueroa.

Automobiles for Hire.

CARS TO RENT. WITHOUT DRIVERS
We have Reos, Studebakers, Oaklands, Buicks, Dodges, Fords and other cars to rent to responsible parties by the month or week. Phone Wilshire 3761. STILLWELL CAR AND SUPPLY CO., 941 S. Grand. Phone 60097; Broadway 237.

TO HIRE—7-PASSENGER PEERLESS LIMOUSINE with experienced driver at $2 per hour; $15 per day; $90 per week. RICHARDSON, Phone Wilshire 3761.

CHEAPEST AND MOST SATISFACTORY WAY TO rent, buy a Ford, use, then sell for about what it cost. Call or phone at once. W. M. PEDERSEN FORD AGENCY, 1250 W. 7th. Wil. 627—52306.

LATE MODEL TOURING CARS, $1.25 PER HOUR. GEORGES AUTO LIVERY. WILSHIRE 8063.

$1.25 PER HOUR—NEW MODEL BUICK SIX, 5-passenger; competent, careful driver. Phone LARCENT, 60000.

$1.25 PER HOUR, 5-CYLINDER OLDSMOBILE, special rates by day or week. FRANK'S AUTO SERVICE, 21091.

WANTED—PASSENGERS, LADIES, FAMILIES 5-pass., '17 Paige; competent chauffeur, $1.50 hr. 28907.

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BUICK SIX NEW TOURING, $1.25 PER HOUR. San Diego Limousine, Santa Barbara, anywhere, machine work. 1225 San PEDRO ST. Main 4719.

BUICK SIX, NEW CAR. WILL TAKE PARTY OF 4 to Mt. Rubidoux for Easter service. 12223, owner, Whittier.

BY THE DAY, OAKLAND SIX, OWNER DRIVING; long or short trips; business or pleasure; $10 per day. PICO 1880.

WINE 7-PASSENGER, 6-CYLINDER OVERLAND, $1.50 per hour, with or without driver, $12, to Mt. Rubidoux, Sunday. 827 S. HILL. A9651.

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NEW 1918 MODEL 6-CYLINDER, 5 AND 7-PASsenger cars, $1.25 per hour up. MAIN 7207; 53769.

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FORDS—1918 ROADSTERS AND TOURING, WITHout driver. WILSHIRE M. 1482, 823 S. Spring.

BUICK "6," 1918 MODEL, 5-PASSENGER, CAREful driver, $1.25 per hour, 72811, WIL. 2236.

1918 FORD—RENT HOUR, DAY, WEEK, DRIVE yourself. Days, 22817; nights, Sun. Pico 10258.

$1.25 PER HOUR, OLDSMOBILE, OWNER DRIVES car. VERMONT 444.

ONE, 2 AND 5-TON TRUCKS, WITH DRIVERS. Steady hauling contracts preferred. 61028.

Motorcycles.

WANTED—LATE MODEL HENDERSON, EQUIPped; must be first-class; no junk. Call after 6 p.m. J. F. PEILFORD, 505 E. Pico.

BARGAIN, LIGHT WEIGHT CLEVELAND IN fine condition, positively must sell immediately; fully equipped. 1464 E. 23RD, after 4 p.m.

HORSES, MULES, CATTLE, ETC.

For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—20 HEAD OF WORK MULES, WAGons and harness; selling out; my complete ranch stock, don't fail to see them for a bargain. Must be seen in next three days. Call 815 E. 20TH ST.

FOR SALE—DAIRY, 29 HEAD OF STOCK, first-class milk route with Ford delivery wagon, plenty of pasture. Located in Hollywood. Address S, box 143, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TEAM YOUNG MARES, WEIGHT 2500; sell one or both, very cheap; also harness. MINTON RANCH, Hobart Station. Main 852; Home 10787.

FOR SALE—TEAM OF MULES, 7 AND 8 YEARS old, weight 2200, good workers; also harness; must sell for want of use. 706 E. 16TH ST.

FOR SALE—GOOD BIG WORK TEAM, 7 AND 8 years old, used to all kinds ranch work; good harness and farm implements. 850 E. 22ND ST.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID GRADE COW, FRESH in about 6 weeks, still giving 8 quarts milk. 875, 29053.

FOR SALE—2 BURROS, MALES, $20 FOR THE 2; one is trick burro. HOLLYWOOD 2808.

FOR SALE—BUGGY, WAGON, HARNESS FOR sale cheap. 661 S. GRIFFIN AVE.

Wanted.

WANTED—WE PAY CASH FOR HOGS. ANY NUMber and kind considered. DURBIN & FORBES, Broadway 4170. 222 San Fernando Bldg. Stock yards, south 2715.

WANTED—BEEF COWS AND CALVES, CALL FOR anywhere. 2212 CENTRAL AVE. South 2548.

WANTED—I PAY HIGGEST PRICE FOR CORN, bulls, calves. PICARD, 1706 Maple ave. S 2172.

WANTED—ABOUT 3 OR 4 SMALL PIGS, JUST away from sow. STADEMAN, 19071, Main 8176.

WANTED—BEEF COWS, FRESH COWS, CALVES, hogs. S. ISAAC. BANNON 88506. 1022 E. 20th.

POULTRY—PET STOCK—

Supplies—For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

Poultry and Poultry Supplies.

FOR SALE — WHITE LEGHORN BABY CHICKS, from heavy laying Hogansherd stock. March delivery, $11 per 100; April, $10. We guarantee safe arrival. THE PIONEER HATCHERY, Fullerton, Cal.

FOR SALE—2 PENS OF R. I. RED LAYING hens, 25 baby chicks, 2 weeks old, 2 fine shoats, 15 young rabbits, fryers. 4275 BRIGHTON AVE. Vermont 3992.

FOR SALE—BABY CHICKS, HATCHING EGGS, poultry, etc. PIONEER HATCHERY, 329 S. Spring st. F1635, Main 3653. Sales yard, 815 S. Los Angeles st. F1267.

FOR SALE—ONE DOZEN YOUNG HENS, $2.50 W. 87TH ST.

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, HIGH ground, mahogany finish; must be sold at once. Call and make offer. 2401 10TH AVE. W. Adams car.

FOR SALE—BRIGHT, SUNNY, HOMEY, 6-ROOM bungalow, first-class condition, good neighborhood, 1241 W. 37th drive, $2000, no trades; vacant. OWNER, Home Phone 23995.

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FOR EXCHANGE—FINE HOME, CLEAR, AND cash, for well-located flat building; value about $20,000. Address X, box 837, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

HOUSES—

For Sale and Exchange.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT HOUSE
517 ST. ANDREWS PLACE.
WILL BE SOLD AT ONCE.
—
VERY MUCH UNDER PRESENT VALUE.
Ten rooms, attractive interior, south bay window in dining-room, breakfast-room with French doors opening on veranda, Model kitchen, maid's room with bath.
Entire upper floor white enamel on cedar, four elegant chambers. Large sleeping porch with built-in bed, Tiled baths. East front lot 60x150.
Come out and see the house. Open from 2 to 5 daily, or Phone 60617 for price and terms.

FOR SALE—

BY OWNER
941 ARDEN BOULEVARD.
—
THE MOST PALATIAL NEW WHITE PLASTERED RESIDENCE in the lowest and best part of the WILSHIRE DISTRICT. Thirteen rooms, four baths, and beautiful grounds; OPEN FOR INSPECTION daily except Sundays. Drive out Wilshire blvd. to Arden, then go south two and a half blocks to No. 941.

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CHALET BUNGALOW by PLEASING DESIGN. Containing 5 exceptionally well arranged rooms, and dining-room extend across front of house, facing big porch; they have hardwood floors, beam ceilings, panel doors and paneled brick fireplace; cabinet kitchen in white enamel; modern bath, also in white enamel; two large, airy bedrooms; reached by center hall; large closets, big lot, fenced; sold; has all kinds of "special" features; is offered at a handsome and dandy home and a bargain at the price of only $2400; responsible people can buy it on very easy terms.
Sales Department, Open Evenings Till Nine o'clock.
LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO.,
200 Investment Bldg.
60127. Broadway at Eighth. Main 8047.

FOR SALE—

INSPECT THIS NEW WILSHIRE COLONIAL A WONDERFUL BUY, $5750.
OPEN SUNDAY AND DAILY.
Seven beautiful large rooms, perfect arrangement. Exquisitely decorated and finished in old ivory enamel. Two fireplaces; sunny breakfast room; tiled bathroom and shower; white enameled kitchen; fine pantry; built-in automatic water heater, two wide casement bowches, large garages and shrubbery; an exceptionally well built house; 100x150 feet; paved street. (Hallock tract.) Take trunk drives cars to 846 HIGHMONT, or phone 30767 for appointment to view.

FOR SALE—
Here is your chance. Only $50 cash. Well built five-room modern bungalow, all built-in features, hardwood floors, large level lot, all fenced; price rent is $2150. If you want a nice modern home on strictly rent terms, see us at once. This will go quick. F. WENTZ, 1st floor, 3720 Stephenson ave. Boyle 2192; Home 41752.

FOR SALE—
PRETTIEST BUNGALOWS to be sold at a sacrifice. 6 spacious rooms, strictly modern, built-in features, hardwood floors, large fireplaces, fine drive, storebtone, chicken yards, lean-tos, floored attics, full cement basements, fine garages, only $3500, balance $32 a month. DR. WAGNER, 1812 W. 51st st. Phone Vermont 4053.

FOR SALE—MY BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM CHALET, furnace, automatic heater and all modern improvements. Your own price. Must sell at once. 52 EL CENTRO ST., South Pasadena. Phone 554171.

FOR SALE—GOOD 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, GOOD neighborhood, 2261 W. 21st st. Fruit trees, 3c car line; price $3000; $1000 cash will sell for $2900, part cash. OWNER, 44052, or call 1836 S. Main.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE FOR MORTGAGE, 8 very close-in 4-room bungalows with disappearing beds, bath, etc., very good high location. Must be sold each. Now rented $20 each. MR. SMITH, F1785; Main 2043.

FOR SALE—$8000, WILSHIRE DISTRICT, 337 feet on Arden ave. Will divide. Terms if desired. Address R, box 403, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—FINE SOUTHWEST 7-ROOM BUNGAlow, nice lot, garage, half a block to grammar school, 3c car; price $4250; $1000 cash. Other locations in the city. Will sacrifice $1600 for quick sale. see J. C. LAFLER, 4811 S. Normandie. Vermont 4396.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, BEAUTIFUL 5-room 2-story cottage, south and east exposure, 60-foot corner lot, 150 feet deep; beautiful lawn, flowers, garage; electric burglar-alarm system. PHONE, 51570. No agents.

FOR SALE—OWNER WILL SELL $1600 EQUITY in finished new cottage; southwest; sunshine; 5 rooms and breakfast nook, with garage, for $500. Address T, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3,000 EQUITY IN CAR LOT, put $40 a month; price $5500; make $2000; consider clear for equity; might assume little. 1407 MAPLE AVE. Mr. Carl Preston.

FOR EXCHANGE—$30,000, CLOZE-IN BUSINESS property, consider northern, eastern, or orange, lemon grove; submit. INGRAM, 614 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 GOOD MODERN BUNGAlows, almost clear. Price $5500. Want ranch property. Hendricks, Elsinore way. BUCKLE, 405 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Fine residence, strictly modern, in Brentwood Park; cost $100,000; will sacrifice. Apply to owner, H. M. PAULIN,
307 Investment Bldg.

FOR SALE—WHY WAIT?
UNTIL SATURDAY NIGHT TO TELEPHONE YOUR SUNDAY ADS, TO THE TIMES? DO IT FRIDAY OR EARLY SATURDAY. PICO 700, 10991.

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HOLLYWOOD—

For Sale, Exchange, Wanted, Etc.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—IF YOU HAVE $25,000 TO INVEST in a very fine home, elegantly improved, large grounds, which can now or later be turned into business property and show a handsome profit, it will pay you to investigate this buy I have to offer. E. TOBERMAN CO., 6780 Hollywood Blvd. 57009; Holly. 4063.

FOR SALE—
If you want to buy, sell or exchange Hollywood property, see us, we have all kinds and can suit you on anything you want.
J. J. MILLER & COMPANY,
57305. 6400 Hollywood Blvd. Holly. 1946.

FOR SALE—$3075, HOLLYWOOD, 5-ROOM MODern bungalow, furnished, garage, fruits and shrubbery, cement walks, rents $45 per mo. Terms. OWNER, F3070.

FOR SALE—NEW 6-ROOM PLASTER BUNGALOW

...fied Liners.

TO LOAN—
Money.
Real Estate and Improvements.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds, Unclassified.

PARTNERS—
Wanted.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Wanted.

LEGAL NOTICES—
Of All Kinds.

FAMOUS PORTRAYER TO BECOME A BRIDE.

MISS MARIE MAYER TO WED LOTHAR BECKER, AN AUTOMOBILE SALESMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28. — Miss Marie Mayer, who achieved international fame as the portrayer of Mary Magdalen in the "Passion Play" at Oberammergau, Bavaria, in 1910, will become the bride of Lothar Becker, an automobile salesman, Tuesday morning.

The betrothal was announced today at the home of Mrs. Francis J. Noonan, where Miss Mayer is a guest. The romance had its inception several years ago in Houston, Tex., while Miss Mayer was on a lecture tour, and Mr. Becker was a resident of that city.

"To me Mr. Becker is the greatest man in the world, and I love him," said Miss Mayer in talking of her wedding plans.

Miss Mayer said that Anton Lang, who interpreted the character of Christ in the "Passion Play," was alive a year ago. Lang, she said, was not serving with combative forces, but was engaged with a Red Cross unit. While many of the men of Oberammergau have fallen in the war, Miss Mayer believes the play will be given in 1920.

MEXICANS CAPTURE YAQUI STRONGHOLD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) March 28.—Ives G. Lelevier, Mexican Consul here, announced today that he had received a message from Gen. P. Elias Calles, military commander and Governor of Sonora, stating that Mexican troops had captured the Bacatete Mountain stronghold of the Yaqui Indians. In the captured area are situated the springs which irrigate a large body of land, sustaining many of the Indians. In addition are stored grain and growing crops, the Mexicans seized 15,000 head of cattle, which they allege the Indians had stolen.

FORTY-TWO AIRPLANES WINGED BY FRENCH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 28.—The following official statement has been issued on French aerial operations:

"On March 23 one of our troops of escadrilled carried out 125 patrols and 120 reconnoitering missions in the region of St. Quentin, Ham, La Fere and Noyon. More than 50,000 kilos of projectiles were dropped from March 22 to 24 on convoys, trains and enemy troop concentrations, which suffered heavy losses.

"Descending at times to within about six feet above the earth, our pilots attacked, with machine guns, enemy contingents, firing thousands of cartridges. Forty-two German airplanes and six captive balloons were brought down."

ORDER CONSERVATION OF FOOD ENFORCED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—State food administrators today were ordered to enforce rigidly by inspection and investigation the Food Administration's new conservation rules applicable to all public eating places. Where violations are reported the administrators were instructed to hold hearings open to the public and to the press, so that persons failing to co-operate in the nation's hour of emergency may be known to their fellow citizens.

BRITISH CAPTURE ALL THE TURKS AT HIT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—The entire Turkish force in the Hit area in Mesopotamia has been captured or destroyed by the British, the War Office announces. Three thousand prisoners were taken.

Hit is on the Euphrates River, 100 miles west of Bagdad. The town was evacuated on March 9 by the Turks, who fell back to Khan-Baghdadi, twenty-two miles above Hit, before the British column operating along the Euphrates, which has been conducting a vigorous and successful campaign. The statement follows:

"On March 26 a highly successful operation was carried out by our troops operating on the Euphrates northwest of Hit, which resulted in the capture or destruction of virtually the entire Turkish force in that area. Early in the morning our columns advanced to attack the Turkish positions to Aleppo, in the rear of the enemy. By nightfall, the enemy's main positions, north of Khan-Baghdadi had been carried by assault.

"The main body of the enemy, attempting to break to the northwest, was intercepted by our cavalry and repulsed with heavy losses.

"So far it has been reported that about 3000 prisoners have been taken, including a divisional commander, two regimental commanders, about 200 other Turkish officers, one German officer and a few German non-commissioned officers. In addition, ten guns, 2000 rifles, many machine guns, 600 animals and a quantity of other booty have been taken.

"Pursuit of the remaining fugitives has already been carried beyond Haditah, forty-five miles northwest of Hit.

"Our casualties were very light."

NEWS PRINT OUTPUT GRADUALLY FALLING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Consumption of news print paper is exceeding production and mill stocks are gradually falling off. Federal trade commissioners' figures made public today show shipments of 52,693 tons for the first two weeks in March, while only 50,318 tons were produced. Mill stocks March 17 amounted to 28,327 tons, of which 22,293 were standard news.

Production from January 1 to March 17 was 242,462 tons, against 260,839 tons for the same period last year.

Loss of production for the first two weeks of March is ascribed to strikes on the Pacific Coast, lack of fuel and closing down of mills at Niagara Falls by government order.

DEATHS AT TRAINING STATIONS INCREASE.

HEALTH CONDITIONS IN GENERAL AMONG TROOPS ARE REPORTED GOOD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Although health conditions in general among the troops training in this country are described in this week's report of the division of field sanitation as "very good," deaths among the soldiers increased from 180 the week before to 223. Pneumonia increased in the National Army and regulars, but in the National Guard all epidemic diseases are declining.

Deaths in the regular army last week were eighty-six, as against seventy-one the week before; in the National guard twenty, as against twenty-eight, and in the National Army 117, as against eighty-one. Seventy-three of the deaths in the National Army and seven of those in the National Guard were caused by pneumonia.

Only seventy-six new cases of pneumonia were reported from the thirteen National Guard camps, but in the National Army 287 new cases of this disease were reported, as against 255 the week before. Mumps and influenza prevail in many National Army camps and some measles and meningitis are reported.

In the National Guard camps the sick and death rates are described as remarkably low, while in the regulars there are fewer cases of measles, scarlet fever and meningitis. Pneumonia shows an increase among the regulars, particularly in the aviation section and Southern Department.

RAIL WAGE PLAN A COMPLEX TASK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Because of the complexity of the task, the Railroad Wage Commission has not yet been able to devise a general plan of wage increases which will work out equitably when applied to the scores of different classifications of employees.

Until this plan is worked out the commission cannot make its recommendations to the director-general of railroads.

CALIFORNIA MAN SHOT; DESERTER FROM ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BAKER (Or.) March 28.—Earl Franklin, aged 28, a soldier, was shot at Lime, a station near here, late yesterday by A. I. Weisner, a section foreman, who afterwards told the officers he found Franklin and another soldier stealing clothing from a bunkhouse.

At a hospital here where he was taken today Franklin was said by officers to have confessed that he was a deserter from Camp Lewis, and that he had a wife and child at Stockton, Cal. It was said he might recover.

COURTS ASKED TO BAR UNION.

Agitators Control Industry, Film Owners Say.

Chicago Theater Men Seek Legal Restraint.

Employer's Sole Duty Now is to Pay Salaries.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28. — Nearly every prominent moving-picture theater owner in Chicago—233 of them, in all—in addition to thirty-one film manufacturers and fourteen manufacturers of theater and photography supplies, through Attorney Lewis F. Jacobsen, today petitioned the Circuit Court to issue an injunction restraining the International Association of Theatrical Stage Employees, local No. 110, from interfering with the motion-picture industry here, and asking that alleged illegal control of the theaters and film business by members, and particularly by officers of the union, be stopped.

Among the complainants listed in the bill, which covers more than fifty typewritten pages, are the Ascher Bros., proprietors of a string of cinema theaters in Chicago; also Lasky, George Kleine, Goldwyn, Famous Players and other prominent producers of pictures.

DEFENDANTS.

Defendants named are Joseph P. Armstrong, president of local No. 110, and John G. Shafranek, said to be associated with Armstrong in the National Advertising Film Company, a firm which the motion-picture producers and exhibitors allege was organized for the purpose of controlling theater picture advertising in Chicago.

Others named in the bill are H. McCullough, vice-president of the union; H. Mitz, recording secretary; Hal Johnstone, financial secretary and treasurer; T. E. Maloy, business manager, and Fred Havell, Peter Kunich, P. Shea and E. Kelleher, business agents of the union.

The control of the picture theaters by the union representatives has become so absolute, the owners declare in their bill, that the owners of a motion-picture house have no choice in the hiring or discharging of employees—in fact, nothing to do with the conduct of his theater, except to pay the employees.

CONTROL ADVERTISING.

Not content with the entire control of the employees of the movie houses, the owners charge, Armstrong and Shafranek organized the National Advertising Film Company, whose only purpose is said to be the placing of their label or consent on advertising films shown in theaters.

Even the four-minute men aiding in the carrying out of the war were notified, it is charged, that they could not show pictures illustrating their lectures unless they bore the stamp of the National Advertising Film Company. The owners of films were informed that the National Advertising Film Company was the only company authorized by the union to deal in advertising films or slides.

The Ford Weekly, Henry Ford's method of bringing before the public the work of the army and navy and other war preparations, was notified that a charge of $3 a day for each theater using the pictures of these shown would be charged, it is alleged, and one of the producers who desired to exhibit a picture showing "Billy" Sunday in action was notified that the consent of the union would cost $5000, the bill states.

THEATER FINED.

The owner of the Chopin Theater, so the bill alleges, disobeyed the edicts of the union officials, and to "make itself right" with the union, was informed he would have to pay a "fine" of $1200, which was later reduced to $900.

The bill asks for the immediate issuance of a temporary injunction as the movie companies say they fear that threats of violence made by the union heads will materialize unless some restraining action is taken.

The bill further alleges that certain theaters have been blacklisted by the union because of failure to obey the orders.

BANKS DISCUSS RUSS BOND FLOTATIONS.

MEETING FOLLOWS ACTION OF THE BRITISH REGARDING INTEREST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Officials of New York banks interested in the several Russian bond flotations in the United States aggregating, it is said, $150,000,000, were reported today in conference regarding the action of the British government in declining further to provide funds to meet the payments on the Russian securities.

Just what action, if any, is contemplated by the American banks, was not made known. The last regular semiannual interest on Russian bonds floated by American banks was paid in February by the National City Bank as registrar.

BRITISH STOP PROVIDING.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Wednesday, March 27.—The British government announces that after April 1 it will not provide funds to meet coupons on Russian government bonds, the Russian revolutionary government having declined to meet the payments.

DEBATE BLOCKS VOTE ON FARMERS' BILL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The House, after another day of debate, again failed to reach a vote tonight on the Baer bill to appropriate $10,000,000 to assist farmers to purchase seed grains and to foster mobilization of labor in the grain States.

FIRE DESTROYS BALSA PLANT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Fire today destroyed the plant here of the American Balsa Company, which employed 125 men in the manufacture of life rafts for the United States Navy.

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Employer's Sole Duty Now is to Pay Salaries.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28. — Nearly every prominent moving-picture theater owner in Chicago—233 of them, in all—in addition to thirty-one film manufacturers and fourteen manufacturers of theater and photography supplies, through Attorney Lewis F. Jacobsen, today petitioned the Circuit Court to issue an injunction restraining the International Association of Theatrical Stage Employees, local No. 110, from interfering with the motion-picture industry here, and asking that alleged illegal control of the theaters and film business by members, and particularly by officers of the union, be stopped.

Among the complainants listed in the bill, which covers more than fifty typewritten pages, are the Ascher Bros., proprietors of a string of cinema theaters in Chicago; also Lasky, George Kleine, Goldwyn, Famous Players and other prominent producers of pictures.

DEFENDANTS.

Defendants named are Joseph P. Armstrong, president of local No. 110, and John G. Shafranek, said to be associated with Armstrong in the National Advertising Film Company, a firm which the motion-picture producers and exhibitors allege was organized for the purpose of controlling theater picture advertising in Chicago.

Others named in the bill are H. McCullough, vice-president of the union; H. Mitz, recording secretary; Hal Johnstone, financial secretary and treasurer; T. E. Maloy, business manager, and Fred Havell, Peter Kunich, P. Shea and E. Kelleher, business agents of the union.

The control of the picture theaters by the union representatives has become so absolute, the owners declare in their bill, that the owners of a motion-picture house have no choice in the hiring or discharging of employees—in fact, nothing to do with the conduct of his theater, except to pay the employees.

CONTROL ADVERTISING.

Not content with the entire control of the employees of the movie houses, the owners charge, Armstrong and Shafranek organized the National Advertising Film Company, whose only purpose is said to be the placing of their label or consent on advertising films shown in theaters.

Even the four-minute men aiding in the carrying out of the war were notified, it is charged, that they could not show pictures illustrating their lectures unless they bore the stamp of the National Advertising Film Company. The owners of films were informed that the National Advertising Film Company was the only company authorized by the union to deal in advertising films or slides.

The Ford Weekly, Henry Ford's method of bringing before the public the work of the army and navy and other war preparations, was notified that a charge of $3 a day for each theater using the pictures of these shown would be charged, it is alleged, and one of the producers who desired to exhibit a picture showing "Billy" Sunday in action was notified that the consent of the union would cost $5000, the bill states.

THEATER FINED.

The owner of the Chopin Theater, so the bill alleges, disobeyed the edicts of the union officials, and to "make itself right" with the union, was informed he would have to pay a "fine" of $1200, which was later reduced to $900.

The bill asks for the immediate issuance of a temporary injunction as the movie companies say they fear that threats of violence made by the union heads will materialize unless some restraining action is taken.

The bill further alleges that certain theaters have been blacklisted by the union because of failure to obey the orders.

PRICE OF OUR FOOD IS STILL INCREASING.

TWENTY-ONE PER CENT. IN YEAR, SIXTY-SIX PER CENT. IN FIVE YEARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Food prices took another jump of 1 per cent. from January 15 to February 15, making a total increase of 21 per cent. for the year ending on the latter date, the bureau of labor statistics announced today. Only three of sixteen standard articles failed to advance, while eight increased and five did not change.

Sugar showed the greatest increase of 12 per cent.; hens, 10; round steak, 2; sirloin steak, chuck roast and butter, 2; ham, 1; lard less than 1 per cent.

Eggs took the sharpest decline of 9 per cent., pork chops 2 apd bacon 1 per cent.

In the year ending February 15 potatoes alone dropped in price, the decrease being 35 per cent.

For five years ending February, 1918, food increased 66 per cent.; every article advancing more than 40 per cent.

INCREASE IN GERMANY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Cost of living in Germany has increased from 200 to 300 per cent., while wages of the working people have only increased 50 per cent.

KANSAS CITY STRIKE STOPS STREET CARS.

SYMPATHY WALKOUT SPREADS TO ALL BRANCHES OF CITY'S INDUSTRY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) March 28. —The effort of the general sympathy strike began yesterday morning in support of the walkout of laundry workers and drivers, was felt in practically every home here tonight as a result of a strike order instructing all union employees of the street railway company to run their cars to the barns.

Two hours later not a car was moving in the city and thousands of workers and shoppers made their way home as best they could.

The city remained tranquil during the day. There were isolated reports of stoning of street cars, but no serious disorders. Troops of the Seventh Regiment, Missouri National Guard, are patrolling the downtown streets.

PEACE DOESN'T END UNREST IN UKRAINE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MOSCOW, Tuesday, March 26.—The situation in Ukraine presents one of the most intricate questions arising from the cessation of war in the East. Dissatisfaction with the peace terms is widespread among the peasants and workmen and is being aggravated by German requisitions of grain, sugar, and other products.

STERILIZATION LAW DECLARED INVALID.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LANSING (Mich) March 28.—An act of the Michigan Legislature authorizing the sterilization of mentally defective inmates of public institutions, was declared unconstitutional by the State Supreme Court today. There is no record of the law ever having been put into actual practice since enacted in 1913.

HIGHER COAL PRICES TO STIMULATE OUTPUT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Increases in prices to stimulate production and improve the quality of coal were offered today by the Fuel Administration to operators who use special means for eliminating impurities from their product.

Twenty cents a ton may be added to the prices for coal at the mine where mechanical applications and additional labor are employed to separate slate or carbon from the fuel.

BRITISH CASUALTIES REPORTED FOR WEEK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—British casualties reported for the week ending today amounted to 3618, divided as follows:

Officers killed or died of wounds, 79; men killed or died of wounds, 604; officers wounded or missing, 268; men wounded or missing, 2667.

The fact that only 3618 casualties were reported for the week ending Thursday would indicate that losses since March 21 in the German offensive are not included in the figures given out.

LIEUT. DICKSON KILLED IN HOTEL BY WOMAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JACKSONVILLE, March 28.—Lieut. Samuel J. Dickson of Los Angeles, attached to Camp Joseph E. Johnston here, was shot and killed in a room in a local hotel tonight. Mrs. Louise Biegart, whom the police accuse of killing the officer, committed suicide by shooting herself a few minutes after she is alleged to have shot Dickson. No theory was advanced by the police as to the cause of the affair.

Mrs. Biegart came here several months ago from Girard, Pa. The police said she left a note in which she gave instructions to notify her brother, Daniel Bender of Girard. Lieut. Dickson was assigned to Camp Johnston last November.

The name of Lieut. Dickson does not appear in any local directory for six years back.

OBITUARY.

Henry Golden Dearth.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Henry Golden Dearth, 54, a distinguished American artist and winner of several medals, died suddenly at his home here yesterday.

Annual Convention.

INTERESTING SPEAKERS HEARD BY CLUBWOMEN.

Number of Resolutions Presented at the Convention in Oakland.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

OAKLAND, March 28.—Today's session of the convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs brought a number of interesting speakers and theories to the fore.

Mrs. Herbert A. Cable and Mrs. A. B. Armstrong presided and Mrs. Mattison B. Jones read the resolutions of the day. One of these was for the formation of a State committee on Indian warfare. Another resolution, which caused wide comment, was one urging that all women on reaching middle age should be compelled to undergo examination for the first signs of disease or mental deterioration.

Mrs. Edward Dexter Knight disposed of the business of the standing committees, and the first speaker of the day, Mrs. L. P. Crane, then addressed the assemblage on the survey recently made in behalf of the crippled children of the State. Mrs. Crane told of remarkable inventions which have been the product of physically-deficient children who have received technical training, these inventions being for the greater part designed for cripples and other afflicted persons.

Mrs. S. H. Hains, recently returned from Washington, where she has been conferring with the members of the Food Commission in regard to the future activities of the women interested in home economics, gave a vivid resume of the work which has been done along this line and the broad scope which it will now undertake to fill under the direction of the Food Administration at Washington and through the Red Cross.

Mrs. Hains spoke of the work being done by the ten field workers in the State who maintain the home demonstrations in town and country and the work being planned for the land army which is to be formed.

The land army is to enlist the assistance of able-bodied women who will work in the fields and orchards helping the short-handed farmers harvest their crops.

The Red Cross Society, she added, is now about to broaden the canteen work, which has become so popular during the past months, to embrace the work of the department of home economics.

Mrs. M. B. Church, chairman of the department of country life, spoke briefly of the work done by her group. She spoke of the need for teaching the women on the farms the proper use of the food substitutes now being offered for family consumption. She then introduced Will C. Wood, who made one of the most pertinent talks of the day on "Possibilities of the County Unit of School Administration."

"This is a war of trained men," Mr. Wood said in part, "and the side that will win will be the side that has the greatest number of highly-trained men at its command." The speaker urged the need of reorganizing the present rural school system into a unit which shall be more closely related to the community life.

FOURTEEN RESOLUTIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OAKLAND, March 28.—Fourteen resolutions, covering almost every phase of human life and club interest, were presented this morning for the consideration of the seventeenth annual convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, meeting in Ebell Club House. At the early session tomorrow the several matters for which the indorsement of the State-wide body of club women is being asked will come up for discussion, and a decisive vote.

Of paramount interest to club women themselves is that article claiming for Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of Los Angeles a second term of office as president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and for Mrs. E. C. Dennison of San Francisco a second term of office as director for California in the general federation.

TO FAVOR PROHIBITION.

National issues receive attention in two proposed resolutions indorsing prohibition and woman's suffrage and the abolishment of the liquor traffic. Declaring their loyalty and patriotism, a resolution provides for the pledge of the 50,000 organized women "to justice and liberty to the end that wars may cease from the earth." Moreover, it is asked that in the councils which will be called to arrange for terms of peace, women be invited to share in the discussion and have a voice in the final decisions. Co-operation to the Liberty Loan, war savings and war savings club, Red Cross, Red Star, Y.M.C.A., Y.W.C.A., and such other organizations President Wilson may from time to time designate will be offered.

As a protective measure to the middle-aged adult, the convention will be asked to ratify a resolution tending to inaugurate an active campaign on behalf of periodical physical examinations. Another article touching on the medical science will have to do with recognized osteopathic physicians and the military health work.

TOLLING VICTORY BELL.

It will probably be recommended that the custom of sounding the seven peals of the Victory bell each day at noon while the populace pauses with bowed head to give thought to the boys beyond the seas so long as war shall last, be now inaugurated in every city and village in California. The seven bells spell the words of victory. The resolution proposes to institute a nation-wide observance of the war custom with California leading.

Other resolutions which were offered by Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles included recommendations dealing with the Red-light Abatement law, the establishment of a State farm in Southern California; greater attention directed toward Indian welfare in California by the creation of an Indian welfare committee in the federation.

LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE.

Chairman Weeks Names Committees to Conduct Campaign In North.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—George K. Weeks, campaign manager for the Twelfth Federal Reserve District, tonight announced the names of committees who will supervise the Third Liberty Loan drive in the northern part of California.

The Executive Committee, with headquarters in San Francisco, is composed of: John W. Edmiston, San Francisco, chairman; R. B. Hale, San Francisco; W. W. Garthwaite of Oakland, and George W. Peltier of Sacramento, vice-chairmen; Charles R. Blyth of San Francisco, campaign manager; George A. Van Smith of San Francisco, chairman of Publicity; Allan L. Chickering of San Francisco, director of the speakers' bureau, and Mrs. E. R. Brainerd of Los Angeles, director of women's activities.

Among the Liberty Loan county chairmen announced were: W. W. Garthwaite, Oakland, and W. F. Morrish, Berkeley, Alameda county; Lester G. Price, Alpine county; C. L. Culbert, Amador county; A. H. Smith, Butte county; J. A. Smith, Calaveras county; T. Harrington, Colusa county; Nicholas Fox, Eldorado county; W. O. Miles, Fresno county; G. A. Gutman, Glenn county; C. P. Soule, Humboldt county; Alfred Harrell, Kern county; Leslie S. Smith, Kings county; Jules Alexander, Lassen county; John L. Murphy, Madera county; Charles H. Edwards, Merced county (eastern,) J. A. Joyce, (western;) A. C. Hughes, Monterey county; Walter B. Griffiths, Napa county; R. L. P. Bigelow, Nevada county; E. T. Robie, Placer county; George W. Peltier, Sacramento county (outside city;) Charles E. Virden, Sacramento county (inside city;) R. B. Hale, San Francisco county; James H. Hough, San Joaquin county; R. E. Easton, Santa Barbara county (northern;) Dr. W. C. Bailey, Santa Clara county; W. T. Jeter, Santa Cruz county (northern,) C. A. Palmtag (southern;) E. L. Bailey, Shasta county; F. E. Wadsworth, Siskiyou county; Frank A. Brush, Sonoma county; E. L. Sherman, Stanislaus county; W. B. Cahoons, Tehama county; C. H. Edwards, Trinity county; J. W. Thomas, Tulare county; C. W. Bush, Yolo county, and Herbert G. Cave, Yuba county.

SURVIVOR OF JOHN BROWN'S PARTY DIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Dr. William F. M. McAllister, said to have been the sole surviving member of John Brown's party, which raided Harper's Ferry in 1859, died here today at the age of 76.

Dr. McAllister was prominent in the medical profession of California and served as collector of the port and commissioner of immigration. He fought in the Civil War, receiving a commission as major.

He will be buried with full military honors at the National Cemetery in the Presidio here tomorrow.

TWENTY-FOUR GERMAN FLYERS SHOT DOWN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 28.—The continuance of fierce air fighting in the battle area is shown by the report of aerial operations issued tonight, which says that on Wednesday twenty-four German machines were brought down in air fighting and seven were driven out of control. Nineteen British machines are missing.

The text of the statement reads: "Low flying was again carried out Wednesday by large bodies of our airplanes, while our infantry machines continued their work of reporting the position on our battle line. Over thirty tons of bombs were dropped and a quarter of a million rounds of ammunition were fired from a height that insured accuracy on difficult targets. Severe casualties are known to have been inflicted on the enemy and the bringing up of his troops and ammunition was delayed.

"Twenty-four German planes were brought down in the air fighting and seven were driven down out of control. Two hostile observation balloons also were destroyed. Nineteen of our machines at present are missing."

AS DRAFT EVADER.

Alhambra Patternmaker is Found Guilty by Jury of not Registering under Draft Act.

Ellsworth E. Geyer of Alhambra was found guilty by a jury in United States District Judge Bledsoe's court yesterday, after considering the evidence adduced by the government on the charge of refusing to register for the selective draft, June 5, 1917. He will be sentenced Monday.

Geyer is a patternmaker, employed at the harbor shipyards. He claimed that he was born April 25, 1896, making him beyond the draft age in 1917 on registration day, but it appeared from the evidence that when he registered to vote, and also when he was married in 1914, at Santa Ana, that he gave an age that would have placed him within the registration age. Geyer was the only witness in his own behalf. He was sure that he was born on the date claimed.

FOR DEPARTING SOLDIERS.

Friends, relatives and patriotic citizens will gather tonight at 7 o'clock at the farewell reception to be given for 225 men who will leave for Camp Lewis, at the Santa Fe Station. The affair will be under the direction of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Welfare Commission. The reception will start at 7 o'clock, 6 o'clock as previously published being the time the train will leave. A similar reception will be held tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock at the Southern Pacific Station for a large number of men who will leave at 9 o'clock.

Judge Jackson to Speak.

Judge Grant Jackson will talk of early California at a meeting of the Southern California Academy of Sciences at the Friday Morning Club House this evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

New England Town Meeting.

The New England Town Society will meet at 7:30 this evening at Assembly Hall, Times Building. Prominent speakers wil address the meeting.

Proxmo Club Concert.

Under the auspices of the Proximo Club, the Delano musicians will give a free concert at 1 o'clock p.m. today in the cafe of the Broadway Department Store.

By Canadians.

For the purpose of buying yarn for the women workers, the Ladies' Circle of the Canadian Society will give an entertainment Friday evening, April 5, in the Gamut Clubhouse.

Will Serve Dinner.

Dinner will be served in Patriotic Hall, No. 1916 South Figueroa street, at noon today by the Red Cross Auxiliary of Stanton Woman's Relief Corps. A musical programme will be given also.

In Hollywood Clubhouse.

Lectures on efficiency and conservation by various speakers will be given this, tomorrow and Sunday evenings in the Hollywood Woman's Clubhouse.

In Gospel Hall.

Jack Fry and Charles Eustis will speak at the Easter services in Pacific Gospel Hall, No. 606 East Fifth street, Sunday. Evangelists Harry Toller and Clarence Hedrick will be in charge of the services. Special meetings are planned for the mission next week.

B'nai B'rith Services.

Dr. Sigmund Hech will speak on "The American Ideal" at the 8 o'clock services tonight in Temple B'nai B'rith, Ninth and Hope streets. At the 10:30 o'clock services tomorrow forenoon Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin will preach on "Seeking to Know God."

War Veterans' Meeting.

A patriotic programme will be presented at a meeting of the United Spanish War Veterans at Moose Hall, No. 111 West Eighth street, this evening. Among those who will assist are Mrs. Robert Wankowski, who will sing "Keep the Home Fires Burning," and Master Edward Qually, billed as the "boy Caruso."

From East Africa.

Rev. George W. Rhoad, a missionary from Machakos, British East Africa, who is spending a vacation in this city, accompanied by his family, will deliver an address at the Bible Institute this evening. At 8 p.m. Canon F. E. Howitt of Hamilton, Ont., will speak on "The Darkness of the Crucifixion."

To City Club.

Dr. William F. Rice, who has spent twenty years in South America and was formerly president of one of the leading colleges of Chili, will speak on "Business Problems and Opportunities in South America," at a meeting of the City Club at noon tomorrow in the Broadway Department Store cafe. Charles P. Howard, president of the Central Labor Council of Portland, will speak also on "How We Shall Meet the Crisis?"

Need Men for "Bears."

Capt. William B. Heinecke has opened a recruiting office for the second company of the State National Guard, known as "The Bears," at the corner of Sixth and Spring streets, and has placed Sergt. Howard Mason in charge. Recently, by order of the Adjutant-General all married men were discharged, and at present many of places remain vacant. "The Bears" are awaiting early orders to be Federalized. Men between the ages of 18 and 45 are eligible.

Helping the Cadets.

At a patriotic meeting in the Strand Theater, No. 730 South Grand avenue at 4 p.m. Sunday, Harvey Hadlock will give an illustrated lecture on "Fighting for Freedom Under Five Flags; the Crisis of the War, and How it will End." This lecture will be given under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. Cadet War Work Committee, and will include a description of the activities of our High School cadets at Arcadia. The lecture will be illustrated by colored and motion pictures, including pictures of cadet life in camp.

CANADIAN TROOPS IN THICK OF FRAY.

WAVES OF ENEMY TROOPS MOWED DOWN BY ARTILLERY BATTALIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) March 28.—"Canadian railway construction troops, horse artillery and motor machine-gun battalions were in the thick of the great struggle raging between the Scarpe and the Oise," according to a message from the official Canadian observer at the front in France, given out last night at the office of the Prime Minister.

"Our casualties were slight and our losses in material are not worth consideration.

"All through the first day the guns of the Canadian horse artillery swept gaps in the thick advancing hordes of storm troops. Sometimes before they limbered up to take a new position they were firing point blank on the Germans, mowing lines in each succeeding wave," said a Canadian officer.

"As yet I cannot obtain exact details of what the Canadian horse artillery suffered, but I hear that in spite of changing position seven or eight times, bringing horses inside the barrage and taking the guns out, only two of the Canadian batteries were lost or destroyed. At one times some Hun cavalry were behind them, but the teams with the undamaged guns drove through the small troop that tried to stop them. All the guns that fell into the enemy's hands were blown up before the crews left them.

"Heavy Canadian batteries are in action, but where they came from and how they got there is a marvel."

TWO DAYS FOR TAX RETURNS.

Income Figures Must be in by Midnight of Last Day of the Month.

Only forty-eight hours remain to make your income tax return, and although the offices of Collector of Internal Revenue Carter were crowded to the doors yesterday by taxpayers, he stated that it is now certain that unless there is a flood of returns today and tomorrow, there will be a large number of delinquents. Collector Carter wishes it understood that if the return is not in the office by midnight, Sunday night, the full penalty provided by the law will be imposed.

The public is learning rapidly how to make returns, and it is no longer necessary to take your net income, deduct therefrom $200 for each minor child, add your house number, subtract the number of your auto car license and divide the remainder by the age of your wife's sister, in order to ascertain just how much money you owe Uncle Sam to carry on the war.

CAMP LEWIS READY FOR NEW ARRIVALS.

FIVE THOUSAND MORE DRAFT MEN EXPECTED DURING COMING WEEK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMP LEWIS (Wash.) March 27.—The receiving station of the casual company at Camp Lewis is prepared to receive the new quota of drafted men who begin coming into camp Friday. There are to be some 5000 new arrivals within the next week who must be equipped and assigned to units that have been depleted through exemption and other causes to bring every organization up to full war strength.

When the new drafted men arrive, they will be taken direct to the receiving station, a canvas-topped narrow passage about 300 feet long, which the men enter as recruits and out of which they come as members of the National Army. In charge of each local board's quota is one of the drafted men and as they enter the station the names are checked off so that each man sent to camp is accounted for.

Further down the passageway are doctors who examine the men for nose and throat and contagious diseases to prevent the new men from bringing into camp any possible infection. They are then sent out from the further end of the receiving station across the field into the mustering office, where their enrollment is completed and they are assigned to some unit for duty, according to any special qualifications they may have.

There will be three special trains carrying drafted men from California, which will arrive in camp some time next week. From the other States there are not sufficient men to justify special trains and these will come into camp on regular trains in charge of one officer of their own number.

The championship in soccer of the Ninety-first Division still is a matter of dispute. The Three Hundred and Sixty-second and Third Infantry teams met again this afternoon on the divisional field and battled in the rain to a 1 to 1 tie.

Preparations are under way for the formal opening of Greene Park, the Camp Lewis amusement zone. There are four concessions in operation now and work on the bridge for pedestrians over the railroad tracks and a new bus station is nearing completion. What is said to be the largest pool hall in the world is in operation and crowded nearly every night. There will be motion picture shows and plenty of soft drinks and candy parlors and fruit and popcorn stands.

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Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.

Harry Chandler, President and General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of February, 1918:

FEBRUARY, 1918.	Copies.
February 1	74,540
February 2	76,087
February 3 (Sunday)	121,500
February 4	76,047
February 5	74,797
February 6	74,703
February 7	74,796
February 8	75,404
February 9	75,958
February 10 (Sunday)	120,500
February 11	75,749
February 12	76,087
February 13	75,344
February 14	75,000
February 15	74,920
February 16	80,160
February 17 (Sunday)	124,500
February 18	75,907
February 19	75,901
February 20	75,837
February 21	75,749
February 22	75,749
February 23	76,902
February 24 (Sunday)	120,000
February 25	76,751
February 26	76,417
February 27	76,501
February 28	76,830
Average for every day of February	82,751
Sunday only, average for February	124,475
Average every-day min over February, 1917	11,225
Average Sunday-only min over February, 1917	11,395

HARRY CHANDLER,
President and General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of February, 1918.

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THE WEATHER.

[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, March 28.—[Reported by Fred A. Carpenter, Meteorologist:] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.06; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 71 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 94 per cent.; 5 p.m., 33 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 2 miles; 5 p.m., southwest; velocity, 5 miles. Highest temperature, 74 deg.; lowest, 52 deg. Rainfall for season, 13.28 inches; last season, 14.59 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The pressure is high over the southern half of the United States and the weather continues generally fair and cool except in the northwest portion, where showers are reported. The area of low pressure in the south caused light rain in Colorado, Arizona and Northern Texas. Except at a few stations the sky is clear in Southern California this morning and these conditions will continue in Los Angeles and vicinity tonight and Friday.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from orchards reported to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau yesterday are as follows:

Stations.	Max.	Min.
Bakersfield	72	44
Bonita	74	46
Corona	70	45
El Cajon	68	42
Escondido	68	41
Mt. Wilson	64	34
Pasadena	68	42
Pomona	69	42
Redlands	68	44
Riverside	70	43
Santa Barbara	67	46
San Bernardino	67	45
San Fernando	67	41
Tustin	66	43

LOCAL FORECAST.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Friday fair.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Friday fair and pleasant weather.

Northern California: Friday fair; light northeasterly winds.

Sacramento Valley, Santa Clara Valley, and San Joaquin Valley: Friday fair and warmer; light northerly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Forecast for Arizona: Friday and Saturday fair; not much change in temperature.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) March 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch from The U. S. Reclamation Service:] Gauge height Colorado River, 15.2 feet.

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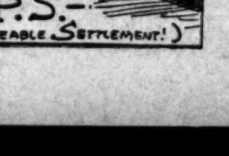

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

DE LONG—BRIGGS, James W. De Long, 29; Susan E. Briggs, 45.

ETKMAN—BROWN, Maxwell B. Etkman, 30; Marguerite R. Brown, 24.

GEER—JONES, Arthur Geer, 24; Alberta Dewar, 21.

HAWKINS—WOODARD, Willis A. Hawkins, 28; Zelbo Woodard, 22.

LOAF—MAHR, Simon Loaf, 26; Amanda Mahr, 25.

MILLER—WISE, Harry D. Miller, 22; Anale B. Wise, 20.

PALE—SHEA, Charles J. Pale, 26; Lillian J. Shea, 22.

PRESLEY—LUCEY, George P. Phelps, 30; Johanna L. Lacey, 22.

WALKER—FRASER, William M. Walker, 32; Mary G. Fraser, 28.

WRIGHT—MORRIS, William E. Wright, 33; Zita Morris, 21.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BONNERSCHEIDT. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Bonnerscheidt, 1447 East Forty-seventh street, March 11, a boy.

BUMB. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bumb, 1133 East Fifty-fourth street, March 26, a boy.

JEWELL. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jewell, Methodist Hospital, March 25, a girl.

NIGHTINGALE. Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Nightingale, 1502 Third avenue, March 24, a boy.

PAGE. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Page, 419 Orchard street, March 24, a boy.

PARKER. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Parker, Daughter, County Hospital, March 26, a girl.

REILLY. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Reilly, 5432 Plata street, March 24, a boy.

SCHULTZ. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Schultz, Methodist Hospital, March 27, a daughter.

SHERIFF. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sheriff, 2133 East Second street, March 25, a boy.

SMALL. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Small, 920 East Fifty-third street, March 25, a boy.

WATERFIELD. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waterfield, Methodist Hospital, March 26, a daughter.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BUSH. Alfred M. against Minnie.

GRAY. Viola against Sanford.

HAWTHORNE. Pamela C. against Frank G.

JUDD. George H. against Ida C.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death— Age. Date.

BEAN, Stephen L., Los Angeles.....57 March 24
BOYD, James A., Los Angeles.....82 March 22
CLARK, Mary E., Los Angeles.....80 March 24
DORADO, Willie, Los Angeles.....1 March 26
FERRARD, William H., Los Angeles.....74 March 26
IRVINE, Marie A., Los Angeles.....1 March 26
JOURDAIN, John, Los Angeles.....67 March 27
MILTIMORE, Mary E., Los Angeles.....80 March 28
NAKASE, Shiki, Los Angeles.....44 March 27
NICKUM, James R., Los Angeles.....24 March 27
PROCHASKE, Frank, Los Angeles.....32 March 26
TURNER, Nellie, Los Angeles.....48 March 28
WYLIE, Willis P., Los Angeles.....51 March 29
YOSHITAKE, Kazuki, Los Angeles.....1 March 27

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BEAN, March 24, 1918, Stephen L. Beau of No. 2744 Kenwood avenue, aged 57 years, beloved husband of Mary L. and father of W. L. G. Bean, Jr., Roy and Howard Bean, Mrs. E. B. Whitley, Mrs. D. M. Ball, Mrs. and Vera Bean.

Remains at Brunz Brothers. Funeral services at Scottish Rite Cathedral, No. 520 South Hope, Friday at 2 o'clock.

BLAKELEY. At No. 7215 Beach street, Florence, March 27, James G. Blakeley, husband of Belle L. Blakeley and father of Fred G. Blakeley, Chris. Cal., and Mrs. J. D. Frederick and M. B. Blakeley of Los Angeles, aged 59 years.

Funeral from Masonic Temple, Fire and Figueroa streets, Saturday, March 30, at 2 o'clock. Interment, private. (Visalia, Cal., papers please copy.)

CROUCH. At No. 522 Nadeau street, Miss Harriet Crouch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. M. Crouch, and sister of Rachael, Virginia and Ruth Crouch.

Services at the Crane funeral chapel, Saturday, 10 a.m. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery.

DE WITTE. In this city, Eliza B. Witte, aged 66 years, beloved wife of Adolphus De Witte.

Funeral from chapel of E. V. Overholtzer-Sons Co., No. 1256 South Grand avenue, Saturday at 2 p.m.

FARRAND. William H. Farrand, formerly of Rochester, N. Y., aged 74 years, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. William Wallace McLeod, No. 1746 South Bronson avenue, beloved husband of Lucinda Fitch Farrand, father of Mrs. W. W. McLeod, this city, and Mrs. John Bryant Wilson of Waco, Tex., and stepfather of George W. Fitch.

Funeral services from Smith Undertaking Parlors, No. 642 South Figueroa street, Saturday, 11:30 a.m. Friends invited.

GARDNER. March 28, Elsie E. Gardner. Garrett & Company, funeral directors.

GILLILAND. At her home, No. 2305 West Fourteenth street, March 28, 1918, Nora J. Gilliland, sister of Mrs. Anna Fitzer.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of J. J. D. Earle & Co., corner Tenth and Flower streets, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

GRINBAUM. The funeral services of Selma Grinbaum will be held in the chapel of W. M. Strother, No. 6240 Hollywood boulevard, today at 11 a.m.

HARTNOP. At Clara Barton Hospital, James C. Hartnop.

Services at his late home, No. 2332 Echo street, Saturday, 2 p.m. Arthur J. Overholtzer, director. Friends invited. Please omit flowers.

HUCKINS. At No. 316 West Avenue 37, March 27, 1918, Ellen M. Huckins, aged 75 years, beloved wife of Rev. Alfred Huckins.

Funeral service will be held at family plot in Evergreen Cemetery, 4 p.m. today, leaving Fraser Brothers, 855 South Figueroa, at 2:30 p.m.

KNOLL. At No. 927 East Twenty-first street, March 28, Margaret Kalbertine, wife of Harry Knoll, aged 27 years.

Remains at Brunz Brothers, 855 Figueroa.

PATERSON. March 27, A. J. Paterson.

Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown.

PATTERSON. Long Beach, March 28, James I. Patterson, husband of Laura A. Patterson, aged 61 years.

(Pittsburgh and Oil City papers please copy.)

SAUERMANN. In this city, W. A. Sauermann, aged 60 years.

Remains at the Crane funeral chapel.

SILLS. John R. Sills, aged 87, beloved husband of Louise D., father of Mrs. D. B. Wynn, Mrs. H. E. Brown, Mrs. E. R. Adams and Georgia Sills.

Funeral from the chapel of Robert Sharp & Son, No. 1218 South Flower, today at 2 p.m.

SMITH. At the residence of his sister, Mrs. Fred C. Rimpau, Anaheim, Cal., March 26, David P. Smythe, aged 41 years.

Funeral services from the chapel of Parks & Terry, Anaheim, Friday morning, 9:15, thence to the Catholic Church.

STONE, March 27, 1918, R. J. Stone, aged 55 years.

Funeral from chapel of Pierce & Chase Co., No. 1213 South Figueroa street, Friday at 12:30.

TURNER. No. 1612 Corona avenue, Hollywood, March 28, 1918, Willard Otis Turner, aged 55 years, beloved husband of Estella Dale Turner.

Funeral services from chapel of Gates, Crane & Earl No. 1734 Highland avenue, Hollywood, Sunday, 2 p.m., conducted by the Masonic Fraternity. Cremation, private.

WILLIT. Catherin M., passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emma Lockhart, No. 6036 Converse avenue, March 27, aged 58.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from Draper & Dalkhouse's Chapel, No. 1125 South Grand avenue. In charge of Stanton Relief Corps. Interment, Rosedale by car.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Southern California Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will conduct the funeral of our late brother, James Oscar Blakeley, on Saturday, March 30, 2 p.m. sharp. Sovereign at lodge room, Pico and Figueroa streets. All members are urged to attend.

C. W. GRANT, Master.
Attest: W. W. SEAMAN, Secretary.

LODGE NOTICE.

I.O.O.F.

Semi-Tropic Lodge, No. 371, No. 2329½ South Main street, will entertain the Grand Master of California, Saturday, March 30.

INITIATION.

All Odd Fellows are requested to attend.

WILFRED WRIGHT, Secretary.

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COMMISSIONERS QUIT.

Two Members of Public Service Board Resign; Mayor Confers on New Appointees.

Who will fill two vacancies on the Public Service Commission?

C. H. Eubanks and J. F. Andrews have sent their resignations to Mayor Woodman, the former having declared that pressing business keeps him from discharging his duties as commissioner, and the latter resigning on account of ill-health.

William Mulholland, chief engineer of the Public Service department, conferred with Mayor Woodman yesterday in regard to the two vacancies and it is rumored that a number of candidates were discussed.

Mayor Woodman asserted last night that he had not decided upon any appointments, but that the vacancies would be filled within a short time.

Mr. Wad Ought to Have Known Better From the Size of the Footprints! . . . . . By GALE.

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On Wrong Side.

DEFICITS SHOW BY RAILROAD

First Month of Control Profitable to Governm

Bad Weather and Emplo Blamed for Conditi

February Showing Figures not Availab

[BY A. P. DIRECT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March

For the first time in many railroads operated at a loss in uary, the first month of gover control. The situation is aiste by railroad men almost entire the unprecedented bad weather freight embargoes, which re the hauling of general traffic minimum, and increased ex far beyond normal.

The deficit was suffered e eastern lines, while weste southern roads made small

For February, the result much better though exact figu not available, and the Railro ministration hopes to make earnings of later months o poor January showing. O the government will lose compensating railroads on th of their average earnings last three years.

Preliminary reports from the 196 large roads, compiled Interstate Commerce Com and made public today, show ary deficit in railway opera come of $3,227,000, as co with positive earnings of $ in January last year, and $60,000 in December, a bo for that month.

Operating revenues were $231,300 and operating ex $257,565,000. The $13,241,0 ference between these items net revenue, was more than lowed up by ordinary taxes of $51,000. These taxes do clude new war levies, which probably amount to more than 000,000, and which the roads pay out of the government co cation payments.

The eastern roads' deficit in ating income was $17,640,00 pared with net operating inco of $24,225,000 in January, 191 the western lines this was $11, 000, as compared with $10,00 the same month last year; southern lines made $3,611,0 compared with $12,612,000 the month last year.

VETOES HIGH SALARIES.

[BY A. P. DIRECT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Qu ter-General McAdoo soon will limit for high salaries of officials. There is no disposi is said, to reduce their pay to ly nominal sums, however.

LIMIT ADVERTISING.

[BY A. P. DIRECT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 28.—Re Director of Railways R. S. has issued, in behalf of Secr General McAdoo, an order tically prohibiting the publica of any competitive features or tractions of the carriers. The of the order are as follow

1—Discontinue the use of ploiting train service, passe health resorts and the like further notice.

2—Discontinue all forms of vertising, such as pictures, dars, wall maps, etc.

3—Confine newspaper and advertising to giving of neces information to the public.

4—Standardise all time folders and limit their size to avoid waste.

5—Folders must be pure formative and contain no a ing of luxurious trains, or superior service or extravag ter of any description.

A general committee of officials is now in Washi work out a new plan of pr with Mr. McAdoo. Advertising for immigrants in the West a history of the national parks among the subjects under eration by this committee, said.

DEFER LIBEL SU

Sensational Clubwoman's A Continued as Attorney Called to Washington

The sensational Babcock coff-Braly $150,000 libel suit before Judge Jackson was sumed on Monday. W. J. of Mrs. Babcock's attorn gone to Washington on several witnesses who on Monday come from a tance.

James Rea is expected to ness on Monday. He was prominent politically in this county and will testify as to said she gave to Mrs. Braly to exchange for infor to who instigated the Wright letter, the basis of suit. Mrs. Braly says she ceived the letters from Mrs. and did not meet her at andria where the letters are to have passed between

SINGLE FLOWER MONEY-MAK

Los Angeles Rose Brings Hundred Dollars for Belgian Relief Fund.

The Red Cross fund Honolulu is ahead $116 auction sale of four Angeles rose, named city. This is the news that has come to ard & Smith propagat this lovely rose of salmon with gold shadings.

The blossom was bush purchased here by Carter, a stock and broker of Honolulu, and the first of its kind to in the Pacific Isles. was spread when Mr. offered it for auction Honolulu Stock Exchange the benefit of the Red and the bids ranged $10 upwards until the of $115 got the bouquet Angeles blossom.

The Los Angeles Times

VOL. XXXVII. FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 29, 1918. —PART II: 10 PAGES. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 By the City Directory (1917)—390,000

Significant.

ARMY WANTS PHOTOS OF TERRAIN IN GERMANY.

Also Drawings and Descriptions of Hun-Infested Allied Territory. Public Asked to Help.

AT THE behest of the War Department and the American Protective League, The Times prints, with certain necessary omissions, the subjoined appeal to the public for immediate and patriotic aid. The American Protective League is the civilian secret service, a highly-organized body of prominent men in all localities operating under the direction of the United States Department of Justice. Its local headquarters are in the 339 Merchants' National Bank Building, to which place it is requested that all persons having matter of the kind described shall deliver it. If it is impossible to do this, drop a card to that address and an agent will call for the matter.

To all Chiefs of the American Protective League:

At the request of the War Department the American Protective League has undertaken to procure for that department for immediate use for intelligence purposes, photographs, drawings and descriptions of bridges, buildings, roads and localities now occupied by the German forces in France, Belgium and Luxembourg and likewise that portion of Germany lying west of a line running north and south through Hamburg. The local organization of the league throughout the country will be employed in this work in order that a large result may be obtained.

You will proceed at once to solicit through your organization, and through such other ways as commend themselves to you, all of the above described matter, including picture postals, photographs, half-tone reproductions and other illustrative matter. The following methods will be found effective:

(1.) Wide publicity through the press to the fact that the War Department has requested the American Protective League to procure the above material from citizens throughout the country. The press may invite citizens to the most diligent search for such material and to deliver it to a designated individual or office in your locality, which may or may not be the local headquarters of the league.

(2.) Your leading newspapers have in their library files or otherwise a considerable amount of the material above described. They doubtless be willing to give you prints or copies of these as a patriotic contribution. This will likewise be true of lecture bureaus, art museums, art schools, commercial art departments, and municipal libraries.

(3.) In order to avoid the disorganization of the personnel of your local organization, you may organize a special committee of citizens for this purpose and you may enlist the services of Boy Scouts, camp fire girls and other organizations. The most effective work should be done, however, in the name of the American Protective League, under your direction as chief, as the organization directly responsible for it.

(4.) The active assistance of residents of your community who have resided or traveled in the countries indicated may be enlisted. They in turn may procure such material from acquaintances residing elsewhere.

A large quantity of material is desired and there need be no attempt to avoid duplication. Many copies of the same object may be desirable in special instances.

It will not be practicable to return the material to the contributors. It will be a gift to the government.

This is a service which the American Protective League is peculiarly qualified to render in view of its widespread organization, but the total of the service will depend upon the diligence with which each local branch does its part.

[Signed.]

NATIONAL DIRECTORS' AMERICAN PROTECTIVE LEAGUE.
Captain National Army.

BENEFIT FOR COAST ARTILLERY SUCCESS.

Featuring several pupils of Sig. F. Constantino, the tenor, the benefit concert for the Fort MacArthur soldiers last night in the California Temple of Arts, was a brilliant success, financially and artistically. Several hundred dollars was raised for the company funds of the Fifty-second and Fifty-third battalions, Ammunition Train, Coast Artillery. The Red Cross also raised a good sum through the sale of post cards.

Sig. Constantino himself sang and his pupils performed creditably. The Coast Artillery band played popular airs, and Spanish and Russian dances were given.

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—Hurd's Picadilly, a deckle edge linen paper in blue and buff, in the latest oblong style sheets with square envelopes.
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—NOTE—These styles of stationery are well known and the prices quoted far below regular.
FIRST FLOOR.

WAR COUNCIL TO MEET HERE.

Governor will Meet the Defense Bodies of Southern Counties.

Gov. Stephens will hold a war council, probably at the Union League Building, next Tuesday. He will meet the various councils of defense from the seven southern counties and discuss problems connected with their war work.

The southern counties' councils may also take up with the Governor the attitude of the State Council of Defense which, it is charged, treats the southern men coldly when they appear at Sacramento. The State Council programmes are cut and dried, it is asserted, so that the men from the south are not assisted in obtaining the information they desire. In other words, it is said, they are snubbed.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR LOCAL AVIATOR.

MARINE CORPS FLYER KILLED IN FLORIDA WILL BE BURIED AT CAPITAL.

Military honors will mark the funeral of Lieut. Louis Beauman, marine aviator who lost his life when his hydroplane fell a distance of 1200 feet at Miami, Fla., last Saturday, and who will be buried at Arlington Cemetery, Washington, next Tuesday. Lieut. Beauman was a Los Angeles man, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beauman formerly lived here. His parents passed through the city yesterday en route for Washington to attend the funeral. Lieut. Singleton of the President's marine guard will have charge of the detachment of marines which will officiate at the obsequies.

Beauman was a graduate of the class of 1916 at the University of California, having attended the Stockton High School after leaving Los Angeles, where he attended the Los Angeles Polytechnic High School for three years. Beauman was a member of the Zeta Phi fraternity and a popular man in the university. He graduated as a law student and took post graduate work in 1917. When the United States declared war with Germany, Beauman was selected by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler as an eligible for a commission in the Marine Corps and upon his own request was transferred to the aviation section. Beauman has been flying for several months and was considered one of the best aviators in that branch of the service, according to reports which were received here following his death.

A freak wind current caught his airplane about 1200 feet in the air and he was too far inland to reach the ocean, which probably would have been safety for him had he been able to reach it.

The young aviator was a nephew of Senator Frank G. Beauman of Oklahoma and a flying mate of Secretary McAdoo's son.

HELP FRENCH ORPHANS.

Local Association Selling Easter Cards on Behalf of Fatherless Children.

Easter cards of attractive design are being sold by the Fatherless Children of France Association of Los Angeles for the benefit of French children whose fathers have been lost in battle. The work of the association has been going on successfully for many months, but there are so many little ones in want that more adequate relief measures are urgently needed. It is hoped that the sale of the cards will net a substantial sum of money for the cause.

The cards have drawings of three children and bear the inscription, "Easter, 1918, the Fatherless Children of France. In your name I am giving happiness to a French soldier's orphan. Easter greetings." The cards are on sale at the headquarters of the association, No. 929 South Broadway. They sell at 10 cents each, with envelope.

THREE HOUR'S SERVICE.

The great three hours' service in commemoration of our Lord's sufferings on the Cross will be held today from 12 o'clock to 3 in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral. Dean MacCormack will speak on each of the seven words spoken by our blessed Redeemer from Calvary.

Devious.

TRACKS POINT TO THIS CITY.

Los Angeles Rendezvous of "Agassiz" Outfit.

Another of Arrested Men is Identified Here.

Prize Court to Sit on Case of Vessel Today.

One of the first things that the prize court which has been appointed to deal with the case of the German raider Alexander Agassiz will turn its attention to when it convenes at a Pacific port today will be that of determining the status of Cornelius A. Heintz, who was made a prisoner when the boat was seized by a United States warship crew.

It is now declared that Mr. and Mrs. Heintz resided at No. 1461 Myrtle street, Glendale, for more than a year, under the name of Heyns, and that Mr. Heyns represented himself as having formerly been Wells-Fargo Express agent at Mazatlan.

H. L. Miller, a Glendale realty man, rented Mr. Heyns the house in which the family lived, and it was furnished by Ezra Parker of No. 417 South Brand boulevard, Glendale. The Heyns family took possession of the house in December, 1916. Mr. Heyns returned to Mazatlan a few months ago, saying that commercial interests were calling him back, and Mrs. Heyns joined him about sixty days ago.

Mr. Parker described Heyns as a typical German, wearing a blonde mustache of the Kaiser Wilhelm variety. Mrs. Heyns is said to be a Spanish type. There are two children. It is asserted that Mr. Heyns was in correspondence with Mazatlan business men, regarding his interests there, during the entire time the family lived in Glendale. Mr. Parker says the man claimed to have left Mazatlan because the shortage of food supplies was a hardship for his family. He is quoted as having remarked on at least one occasion that he could not keep back tears when he left the German army.

THE PRIZE COURT.

United States District Judge Bledsoe yesterday appointed J. E. Fishburn of Los Angeles and W. R. Andrews of San Diego as members of the prize court, which will deal with the cases of vessels seized in Pacific waters as prizes of war. The third member will be appointed by Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy. This appointment, it is anticipated, will fall to Rear-Admiral Uriel Sebree, U.S.N., retired. The prosecution will be conducted by United States District Attorney O'Connor.

In his commission issued yesterday to Messrs. Fishburn and Andrews, Judge Bledsoe authorized them to "Examine witnesses in prize cases, on the standing interrogatories heretofore settled and adopted by the United States District Court, and all other depositions which may be required in prize cases, and to discharge other duties in relation to ships and vessels and property brought into the district as prizes."

It is the prevailing impression that when the prize court has been fully created it will be continued as a standing body to deal with all similar cases within the jurisdiction of this district during the period of the war.

The duty of the prize court in the case of the Agassiz will be to determine the status of the vessel, and decide what shall be done with the prisoners. Considerable interest centers around Miss Maude Lochrane, a Los Angeles young woman who was captured along with Mr. and Mrs. Heintz and a crew of five others.

Miss Lochrane was one of the owners of the vessel, and she went to Mazatlan nearly a year ago to take charge of it. F. C. Wheeler of Los Angeles, who is now in Honolulu, claims to have assigned his interest in the vessel to Miss Lochrane, his partner in the business of the Pacific Trading and Shipping Company. Some of the evidence tends to indicate that perhaps Miss Lochrane is a victim of circumstances and that she unfortunately became involved with the enemy while trying to clear the boat of debt, but it is certain that she will be required to give a strict account of all incidents which transpired in connection with the Agassiz after she reached Mazatlan last June.

TAYLOR DETAINED.

On a liner which is now coming in from Honolulu, William Taylor, a Cuban, who was associated with

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Falls Flat.

LOVE AFFAIR IS IMPUTED TO WOMAN OCTOGENARIAN

"I HOPE if you reach 81 that you will be as bright and smart as this old lady," Judge Rives of the Probate Court remarked to the attorneys aligned in guardianship proceedings of Permetia A. McClurg yesterday. He dismissed the petitions for the appointment of a guardian filed by Mrs. McClurg's son and daughter, Edward McClurg and Mary V. Sweigart.

The story the hearing of the petitions developed, brought to light the loving care of the aged woman for Roy Gould whom she took into her family and raised from a small boy until he gave his services to his country. Mr. Gould as well as Frank B. McClurg, the latter a son of Mrs. McClurg, was charged with influencing the latter. In her petition Mrs. Sweigart said that Mr. Gould was "wicked and indiscreet." Mrs. McClurg, even though at her advanced age, was accused of a love affair with young Mr. Gould.

This she indignantly denied. In fact, she was so bright and smart that there was no question in the mind of Judge Rives that she could handle her own estate which is valued at about $90,000, willed to her by her late husband.

The testimony showed that Mr. Gould deeded his property to Mrs. McClurg, whom he called "Mother," when he went to the Mexican border with the troops. On his return, she deeded it back to him. When he went to Camp Kearny, he again deeded it to her, and she says he will get it back when he returns from the war. She is making her home with Frank B. McClurg, who came to her defense.

ROTARY CLUB LUNCHEON.

The weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club at Christopher's banquet hall this noon will be in the nature of a "friendship meeting." Reinstatements and new applications favorably passed upon by the Membership Committee will be announced.

Engagement to Navy Man Announced.

Miss Georgiana Drummond,

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison I. Drummond, who is to wed Ensign Francis Shaw Baer, U.S.N., son of Dr. and Mrs. John Willis Baer.

Announcement.

MISS DRUMMOND TO WED ENSIGN FRANCIS S. BAER.

ANNOUNCEMENT of the engagement of Miss Georgiana Drummond and Ensign Francis Shaw Baer, son of Dr. and Mrs. John Willis Baer, was made last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Harrison I. Drummond, parents of the bride-to-be, at a beautifully appointed dinner party at which they entertained members of the two families at the Drummond home, No. 312 South Grand avenue, Pasadena.

News of this engagement will surprise social circles both in Pasadena and in Los Angeles; it is perhaps the most important announcement of its kind made in the Crown City this winter.

Miss Drummond is a graduate of Miss Spence's School of New York, and made her debut last winter. She was born in St. Louis, coming here with her parents in 1909. Ensign Baer is acting aide to the commanding officer, Capt. Cantwell, of the Naval Reserve Training Station at the Harbor. His father, Dr. Baer, was formerly president of Occidental College, but is now a Pasadena banker. The Drummond family is one of the best-known in the State, both socially and in business circles. They belong to one of the oldest families in St. Louis, and both Mr. and Mrs. Drummond and their daughter visit there frequently.

Miss Drummond and Ensign Baer have been engaged for some time, but war conditions prevented announcement until now. No date has been set for the marriage. Ever since the first Charity Ball in Pasadena, Mrs. Drummond has been its chairman and largely through her executive ability it has always been a financial success. Miss Drummond also took an important part in the event this year.

The Drummond summer home is at Santa Barbara. Mr. and Mrs. Drummond are members of the Midwick Country Club and numerous other fashionable clubs here, in New York and St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Baer have their summer residence at Del Mar. They are members of the Valley Hunt and University clubs.

Today.

CAMP KEARNY READY FOR REVIEW BY GOVERNOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP KEARNY, March 28.—Preparations have been completed and the Sunshine Division is ready for the grand review which will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the benefit of Gov. Stephens and city officials of the State.

The various units of the division will begin moving promptly at 2:30 o'clock. In the reviewing stand will be Gov. Stephens, Maj.-Gen. Frederick Strong, commander of the division, and Adjt.-Gen. Borree. Members of local exemption boards and the staff of the general will occupy reserved sections in the reviewing stand, otherwise all seats in the stand will be for the public's use. The camp will be open to visitors at 11 o'clock in the morning. Strict traffic regulations have been adopted and will be enforced by a full squad of military police, who will not only be along the paved thoroughfare in camp, but will line the roads to the cantonment. No cars will be allowed to pass other machines going in the same direction on the road.

The line of march tomorrow will be as follows:

First battalion, officers' training school, Capt. Wallace C. Philoon, commanding; Eightieth, the all-California Brigade, Brig.-Gen. Herman Hall, commanding; Seventy-ninth Infantry Brigade, Brig.-Gen. Alexander M. Tuthill, commanding; One Hundred and Forty-third Machine-gun Battalion, Maj. Arthur Ball, commanding; One Hundred and Fifteenth Engineers, Col. George B. Pillsbury, commanding; One Hundred and Fifteenth Supply Train, Maj. E. D. Householder, commanding; Maj. John A. Martin having been transferred and attached to the office of the Chief of Staff; Sixty-fifth Artillery Brigade, including two California regiments, Brig.-Gen. Leroy S. Lyon, commanding; Trains, Col. Edmund C. Abbott, commanding, including the One Hundred and Fifteenth Headquarters and Military Police, Ammunition Train, Engineers' Train, Supply Train and the grouped brigade and regimental and battalion trains and Motor Truck Company, No. 354, bringing up the rear.

Following the review, Gov. Stephens will meet all California officers at Y.M.C.A. No. 2. At night he will speak at Y.M.C.A. No. 5, and will talk to the students of the officers' training school and at the Y.M.C.A., administration building at the reception marking the opening of the building, which has been rebuilt.

CITY MAYORLESS?

Woodman to Go to Kearny Review and no Substitute is Chosen, But All will be Well.

Will Los Angeles be Mayorless today?

Mayor Woodman and President Farmer of the Council opine that it will not.

The Mayor is going to San Diego this morning with Gov. Stephens to review the military parade at Camp Kearny.

President Farmer of the Council, who would naturally serve as acting Mayor, also will witness the parade.

Late yesterday the question was raised as to whom shall the honor fall of being Mayor today.

Councilman Mallard, chairman of the Finance Committee, will remain at home, but the remaining members of the Council did not extend to him the courtesy of electing him president pro tem. of the Council. Consequently, he cannot serve as acting Mayor.

When it appeared that the city would be Mayorless, Mayor Woodman sought legal advice, which was to the effect that the Mayor must be absent for a day to make the city rudderless. He will not be absent for the day, as he will depart at 6:30 o'clock this morning and plans to return this evening.

As a result Mayor Woodman will be Mayor of Los Angeles today, notwithstanding that he will be more than 100 miles from the city limits.

Men Released.

WRIGHT-MARTIN PLANT HERE IS SHUT DOWN.

Head of Big Airplane Factory Says it Cannot Get Government Work. Contract Cancelled.

THE factory of the Wright-Martin Airplane Corporation at Tenth and Los Angeles streets, this city, has been closed down, and 550 employees have been released. H. L. Pope, vice-president of the concern, stated last night that it had been necessary to take such action owing to the inability of the company to secure government work following the first contract, which Mr. Pope says was filled in record time. He added that the factory could now be turning them out in large numbers if the work was available.

So far as talk of spies in the aircraft shops of this country is concerned, Mr. Pope asserts that there were no alien enemies in the local plant. He says that only one spy was discovered and he was a watchman at the company's storehouse in Wilmington. He was promptly interned. A government inspector of fabric in the plant was removed by army intelligence men about six weeks ago. Mr. Pope says he checked up his employees rigidly and made a talk to them once a month.

From outside sources it has been learned that Mr. Pope, after delivering the first government order for aircraft, went East and was awarded a larger contract, which was cancelled a day or two after his return to this city. Anticipating that other work would surely follow, the company held the working force together for some time, but finally shut down. The local factory equipped its machines with Hispano-Suiza motors, which are in general use in the air fleets of the French army. It is said that the men at the aviation school in Texas look with favor upon the Los Angeles airplane.

ON WAY TO FRANCE.

Honorary Major in American Red Cross on Passing Visit to This City.

Stephan N. Bobo, an honorary major of the American Red Cross Society, who will leave next week for France to be attached to the divisional staff of the American expeditionary forces, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday and is at the Alexandria.

Maj. Bobo will be a member of a party of thirteen industrial specialists who have given their services to the government for the period of the war. His duties will make him a member of Gen. Pershing's staff, being the executive intermediary between the military and the Red Cross divisions. Maj. Bobo has extensive oil interests in Southern California, and makes yearly trips here from his home in Memphis, Tenn.

Up to Schedule.

OUTPUT OF AIRPLANES TERMED SATISFACTORY.

Government is not "Falling Down," Says Manufacturer, Here.

F. K. DOLBEER, treasurer of the Willys-Overland Automobile Company, which is a part of the Curtiss Airplane Company of Toledo, O., who is at the Alexandria, said yesterday that the attack by several United States Senators on the government's airplane programme is unjustified, that the Curtiss company is being made a "goat," and that the number of airplanes turned out by the company is up to schedule.

"We have done more in the construction of airplanes than any other airplane corporation in the United States," he said. "Even before we had signed a contract with the government we began to erect buildings which now cover seventy-four acres. We are making training planes exclusively and have turned out all that the government has asked us for. We have also weeded out every employee suspected of having the least pro-German sentiment, and I believe that there is no more patriotic body of workmen in the United States than the men in the Curtiss company."

Mr. Dolbeer said that it is a mistake to think the government is "falling down."

"Washington is not making a failure of this war," he said. "It is handling the greatest job in history. The airplane programme needs whipping into shape and the co-ordination of its ends. It is a mistake to attack the government.

"The reason of the seeming mistakes is that it is a bigger job than was at first expected. By next July the airplane programme will be in the best of shape and far ahead of schedule. We are making training the original schedule."

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WAR'S HORRORS IN ITALY TOLD.

Graphic Picture of Austrian Invasion is Painted.

Los Angeles Woman Returns from Stricken Country.

Describes How Refugees Fled from Attacking Armies.

"We will pulverize the Kaiser yet!" says Mrs. Giuseppi F. Ghisi of No. 2685 Pasadena avenue, who returned late yesterday from a two-year stay in Italy, where she was a student of sculpture. Her instructor was Prof. Dante Sodoni of the Academy of Florence.

Mrs. Ghisi was in Florence when the city was stormed by 15,000 Italian refugees who fled in front of the Austro-German forces when the Italian frontier was invaded last October. Her description of the flight is remarkably picturesque.

She says that as soon as the Austro-German forces started the invasion the Italian population began a sudden exodus, being terror-stricken because of the stories of awful butchery in France and Belgium which had been carried to their ears.

"The people ran from their homes in the middle of the night, women clothed in nothing more than night-gowns in many cases, babies with little or no clothes, and most all the people without shoes and stockings. They were struck dumb with fear, for they had thought that their army afforded them safety from Prussianism.

"Into the city of Florence they poured by the hundreds and thousands, after having stumbled along the country roads for more than two days and nights without food. When the excitement was at floodtide the streets were thronged with men, women and children, without food and without clothing. On short notice it was impossible to even serve hot coffee and sandwiches to the mobs, and the confusion was terrible

HELP REFUGEES.

"The people of Florence threw open the schoolhouses, churches and theaters as shelter for the refugees and began bringing order out of chaos, but it was a big work. I never saw such need of relief. The people of Florence opened up their hearts and gave everything they could possibly spare. We handed over all the clothes we didn't need and then started to feed the crowd. After several days the refugees were sent into Southern Italy, but before they went they suffered a great deal. Scores of the refugees died. The mortality among children was great because it was impossible to get milk for them."

Mrs. Ghisi says that the condition in Italy so far as food is concerned is distressing. If you go anywhere to stay for a meal you have to take a couple of slices of bread with you, she says, because such food is all doled out by measure and your host will have no extra ration of bread for company. If you eat in a restaurant you can't eat at home during the same meal hour. In hotels and cafes butter, milk and wheat bread cannot be had. Sugar is not available at any price.

"There is something wrong with Italy's food distribution system," says Mrs. Ghisi. "The trees were fairly groaning with the biggest olive crop in the history of the country when I arrived, yet one could not obtain olive oil at any price. The impression is that someone has a corner on it. Each city's Mayor controls the food that is shipped in and out, and there is such a heavy tax on importation in some cities that certain food supplies cannot be had there."

Mrs. Giuseppi F. Ghisi.

AMERICANS MAKE CHANGE.

The arrival of the Americans in France wrought a great change in the moral and financial condition of the French, Mrs. Ghisi declares. They were melancholy and spiritless when she arrived there in 1916, but she says they were full of "pep" when she returned. The Italians had taken a new lease on life. The Italians are all asking when the Americans will reach Italy, and she thinks the boys in khaki will put new life into the Italians.

In Florence, Milan and other Italian cities you are fined if you burn more than a certain amount of electricity per month, she states. The street cars cease running at 8 o'clock in the evening and two days a week they don't run at all. This is to save power.

According to Mrs. Ghisi the greatest demonstration of Italian courage that we have had occurred when the Italian army blew up the bridge across the Tagliamento River to check the Austro-German drive. When the explosion occurred hundreds of Italians were crossing the bridge and the Germans were fast appoaching with the artillery. Up went the bridge. It was a small loss to save the multitudes and Italy gladly and heroically paid the price.

ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Work will be Discussed at Reception to Chairman of World's Association.

The State board of directors of the California Sunday-school Association and the Los Angeles county board will tender a reception to H. J. Heinz of Pittsburgh, chairman of the World's Sunday-school Association, at the Hotel Clark, this noon.

Prominent Sunday-school leaders will discuss questions of local and national interest to Sunday-school workers. Mr. Heinz will then address this group of workers on his "Fifty-eighth Variety," the Sunday-school. He will present the phase of the Sunday-school from the viewpoint of a business man and will point out to the workers the ministry of the Sunday-school to a world at war.

Embarrassing.

PAIR OF WIVES MEET IN COURT.

Man Past Sixty is Arrested on Bigamy Charge.

"Stepdaughter's" Suspicions Bring Climax.

"He was Nice to Us All," Says His Undoer.

A suspicion on the part of a "stepdaughter" culminated yesterday in a shattered romance between a middle-aged couple and the arraignment before Justice Forbes of Henry McCall, otherwise known as Michael McConoley, on a charge of having contracted a bigamous marriage.

The young woman, through whom the facts were brought to light, is Mrs. Ilia M. Buckbee of No. 154 South Avenue 20, whose mother, Mrs. Sadie Miller, a wealthy widow of No. 118 North Avenue 18, was wooed and won by McCall, who already had a wife and five grown children living at No. 1956 Wall street. The alleged bigamous marriage took place on February 15, Rev. James Myers officiating and Mrs. Buckbee and T. F. Buckbee, her husband, being the only other witnesses.

McCall, who is past 60 years old, lived a week at the home of his "bride" under the happiest of circumstances, it is said. Then financial differences arose, and he disappeared for a fortnight from the North Avenue 18 home, while he again resumed the duties of a pater familias at the Wall-street residence.

BECOMES SUSPICIOUS.

During this interval Mrs. Buckbee's suspicions had become aroused, and she got into communication with the District Attorney's office. On Wednesday night, McCall, still known to Mrs. Miller and the Buckbees as McConoley, returned to wife No. 2, stating, it is alleged, that he had been worried over financial troubles and had taken a room downtown and spent most of the day and night walking the streets. Then Detective J. F. Smith of the District Attorney's office stepped from behind a door and placed the alleged bigamist under arrest.

At his arraignment yesterday McCall wept as he faced the court. While being escorted back to the County Jail he came face to face with his two "wives" in the lobby of the Courthouse. His real wife, who has been wedded to him thirty-three years, broke down and sobbed with the prisoner, but Mrs. Miller remained aloof, though apparently sorry for his predicament. The preliminary examination of McCall will be held today.

FOND OF WOMEN?

Mrs. Mary McCall stated yesterday that her husband had been for years inordinately fond of the opposite sex.

"My husband," she said, "was for many years a policeman at Fresno. I had been suspicious of him for a long time, and I was not surprised when my son told me he had met his father driving an automobile accompanied by another woman. This happened about a year ago. Several days ago my son told me his father had confessed to having married another woman. We did not know whether to believe this or not. He had remained away from home considerable and he had failed to contribute to our support.

"We discussed the advisability of having him placed under arrest on a charge of failure to provide, and we went so far as to visit the District Attorney's office. There we learned that detectives were searching for him on a charge of bigamy."

A GENTLE MANNER.

Mrs. Buckbee declared yesterday that McCall was an ardent wooer for a septuagenarian, and that he even resented the visit to the house of several old gentlemen friends of her mother.

"Before the wedding," she said, "Mr. McCall was in the habit of calling half a dozen times daily. He had a gentle and refined manner, which won us all. He was generous to a fault, bringing us little presents from time to time.

"I first became suspicious that all was not right when I noted discrepancies in his initials. He explained these away with a laugh, saying that he was known both as M. R. and H. M. McConoley.

"Once I asked him if he had a wife living, and he dismissed the question with a laugh. Finally I took my husband into my confidence, and we visited the District Attorney's office. I am very sorry for Mr. McCall, for he was very nice to us all. I hope the law will not be very harsh with him."

FILE SUIT TO HALT WATTS DRY ELECTION.

PLAINTIFFS IN ACTION SAY PETITION CIRCULATED IS ILLEGAL.

The city of Watts, which has a wet and dry election scheduled for April 8, will be haled into court through its Board of Trustees, to show cause why the city should not be restrained from proceeding further. The injunction suit was filed by E. G. Van Zandt, a property owner, through Attorneys Paul W. Shenck and Richard Kittrelle.

It is alleged that the petition was certified to by Virgil R. Franklin, as City Clerk, October 9, 1917, and an ordinance passed on the 12th inst., calling for the election April 8. The steps were taken under the Wylie Act.

It is alleged that Mr. Franklin's certification is false and fraudulent; that the petition is false, fraudulent; has been altered, changed, mutilated and is void.

The petition, it is asserted, contains names of non-registered voters; dates are not affixed against 346 signatures; thirteen addresses are not set opposite names of the signers; fifty-eight names do not correspond with fifty-eight similar names upon affidavits. One signer is the name of a person unable to write.

SANTA FE WINS.

The Santa Fe's motion for a nonsuit in the suit against it by B. F. Herr for $2500 damages, as a result of striking his truck at the Los Robles crossing, Pasadena, last May, was granted by Judge Monroe yesterday. Mr. Herr contended that the company was responsible for the accident. The evidence, according to the court's ruling, did not bear out this contention.

"Turns Up" Father-in-Law.

Mrs. Ilia M. Buckbee.

PLAN MILE-HIGH EASTER SERVICES.

PROGRAMME OF SPEECHES AND SONG ARRANGED FOR MT. LOWE CEREMONIAL.

Rev. Daniel F. Fox, D.D., of Pasadena, has been chosen as the orator to deliver the address at the mile-high sunrise Easter service on Mt. Lowe, Sunday morning. His subject will be "The Dawn of Easter."

The ceremonial at Easter Rock on Mt. Lowe will include music, addresses and other appropriate exercises. The guests at Alpine Tavern will be aroused at 4 o'clock in the morning, according to the new time, and at 4:10 they will proceed in a body up the winding road to Inspiration Point.

The marching throng will keep step to the music of bugle notes and will pause at Easter Rock, where a chorus of thirty-four voices will lead the assemblage in singing Easter hymns. "Behold the Sun" will be rendered just as the sun rises above the top of Mt. San Antonio.

An address of welcome will be made by William H. Knight, president of the Astronomical Society of Los Angeles. "Behold the Sun" will be sung by the Los Angeles Oratorio Society. "The Dawn of Easter" will be the sermon delivered by Dr. Daniel F. Fox. City Librarian Everett R. Perry will recite Wordsworth's poem, "Morning in the Mountains." Mrs. Adelina Lobegott Tromben will sing "Lo, the Gentle Lark," and Miss Martha F. Shanklin will read "Immortality."

Train service on the Pacific Electric from Los Angeles has been arranged as follows: At 8, 9 and 10 a.m., 1:30, 4 and 7:11 p.m., tomorrow; 12:01 and 2:30 a.m., Easter morning, the car at 2:30 running according to the new time.

GOING TO FRANCE.

Stanley R. Linn of Covina applied to the clerk of the United States District Court yesterday for a passport to France. He is going overseas to assist in the Y.M.C.A. work, and will sail from New York April 20.

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Women's black kid pumps, turn soles, French heels; $7.50 values, to go out at $5.85

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Nettleton High Shoes $7.75

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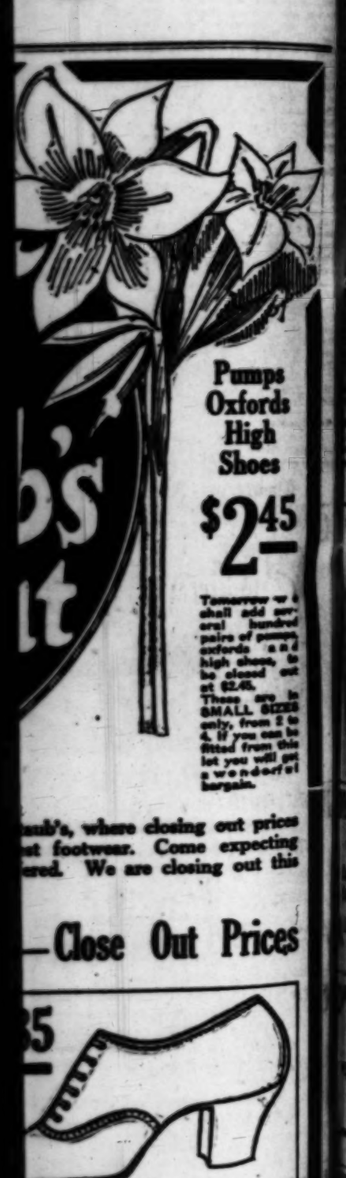

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SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

...Canadian Girl.

...large circle of friends of the ... of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh K. ... will be pleased to learn of ... marriage last evening of their ... son, William Moore Walker ... Miss Mary Gertrude Fraser, ... daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William ... of Bluevilla, Ont., Can. The ... ceremony took place at the Walker ... at No. 2643 Menlo avenue, and ... Walker read the service, in the ... of members of the im... family. ... bride has been out here all ... with friends, but it was im... for her parents or any of ... members of her family to be ... for this reason the wedding ... of simple appointments. ... Walker is manager of the ...land Fidelity and Deposit Com... and is a graduate of Stanford ...versity of the class of 1908. He ... member of the Delta Upsilon ...rnity. He completed his fresh... year at Occidental. Immediate... following the ceremony Mr. ... and his bride left for San ... on their bridal trip.

...ake Wedding.

...pretty home wedding, Miss ... Orth and Dr. A. Baruch ... were married by Rev. C. L. ... Tuesday afternoon at 4 ... in the presence of members ... two families and a few in... friends. ... bride, who is a daughter of ... Mrs. John G. Orth, of No. ... Maryland street, was attended ... her sister Miss Olga Orth, while ... S. Abbott stood with Dr. ... The bride wore a gown of ... Georgette crepe trimmed with ... lace. Dr. Lee is a son of ... and Mrs. A. E. Lee of No. 340 ... Occidental boulevard and ... graduate of the College of ... and Surgeons of this city, ... and his bride left im... after the ceremony on a ... trip over the State.

...Bridge Luncheon.

... Harry J. Anderson of ..., Can., was the inspiration ...morning Easter bridge lunch... which Mrs. C. H. Owens of ... avenue, was hostess. ... Throughout the card rooms ... the dining room a color ... in jonquils and ferns marked ... place idea. At the bridge ... were Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. J. ... Mrs. C. E. Cook, Mrs. ... Cook, Mrs. Harley Hender... Mrs. Jean Bettinger, Mrs. ... Ralph, Mrs. J. A. Macklin, ... Herbert Johnston, Mrs. W. ... Mrs. William Steele, Mrs. ... Owen, Mrs. H. M. Seaman, ... Annie Bennett and Miss ... Burt.

...Wedding.

...ing to word received here ... from Mrs. Hancock Ban... ning, now at San Antonio, Tex., she plans to bring her son, George Hugh Banning, home with her on furlough following a third operation, this time on his throat which will be performed shortly. Mrs. Banning writes interestingly of the camp at Kelly Field and of the bravery of the men. One young fellow went through an explosion, lost his eyesight and is otherwise injured for life, but she says his cheerfulness is almost beyond belief. Mrs. Banning spends most of her time by the side of her son and with others that are sick. She has started two Red Cross shops, one in San Antonio and another at Kelly Field.

By Miss Kellogg.

Miss Marion Kellogg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Kellogg of Berkeley Square, entertained a few Pasadena friends at luncheon yesterday at the California Club in compliment to Misses Alice and Ann Ayer of Pasadena, who are home for the Easter holidays from Miss Ransome's school near San Francisco. Covers marked places for eight.

Mrs. Westmore.

Mrs. Florence Colbrook Westmore of Rochester, N. Y., a prominent society woman, has arrived in Los Angeles and will be the guest for three months, while recuperating, of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. R. M. Maddock of No. 1957 Canyon drive, Beverly Hills. Mrs. Westmore is considered one of the most beautiful dancers in New York. She studied with the Vernon Castles and became so expert that she has devoted her time for a year dancing for the Red Cross, earning thousands of dollars for the cause. She worked so hard that her physicians ordered her to come to the Coast for a long rest. Dr. and Mrs. Maddock are expecting another distinguished guest next week, Dr. L. Minsie, who married a member of the famous Cabot family of Boston. He is serving as chaplain in the British army.

Spanish Dinner Dance.

Miss Yvette Mitchell will give a Spanish dinner dance at the Dugout, home of Mrs. Meredith Woodward, tomorrow evening, in compliment to thirty friends of hers who are in the navy and army. The decorations will be designed in Easter lilies and other flowers and ideas appropriate to the season.

Personals.

Miss Gwendolen V. Laughlin and her house guest, Mrs. William Barnard, left yesterday morning for New Orleans, whence they sail for New York. They expect to be gone all summer and while there will be domiciled at the Biltmore Hotel.

Mrs. Daniel Murphy, who has been in San Francisco the past two weeks is expected home either today or tomorrow.

Mrs. T. A. Winters left last evening for Seattle, where she will spend a month with her daughter, Miss Charlotte Winters, who is attending the university at Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Winters of Spokane, prominent society people there, are here for the winter and have taken apartments at the Rex Arms. Mr. Winters is one of the prominent bankers of Washington and Mrs. Winters is one of the most active Red Cross workers there. She is devoting much of her time, while here, to speaking for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Margaret Ham is expected home this morning from New York, where she went several weeks ago, at any rate, that's where she'll be happiest if she is happily mated."

Miss Young has taken over the Stimson place on Figueroa street as her home during her stay here.

Rotary Club Rotates.

The Rotary Club, for whom Will M. Cressy gave his entertainment for orphans at the Orpheum last Saturday, will return the compliment to Mr. Crosby by attending that theater in a body tonight, 200 strong. The club has taken a block of seats and promises to see that Mr. Cressy does not lack for applause when he delivers his famous epigrams.

Dix Drank Sincere Whisky.

Somebody played it low down on Richard Dix at the Morosco last night and put real whisky, instead of the usual cold tea, into that flask from which he drinks so generously while playing the souse in "Good Gracious, Annabelle." Dix just simply had to keep on drinking, of course, and having been occupying the front seat of the water wagon for some months last past, his mispronunciation of some words, such as "chrysanthemum," was not altogether feigned. But following the second act he dashed over to Levy's and got a cup of coffee, which somewhat relieved the strain.

Majestic is Leased.

The immediate fate of the many-fortuned Majestic Theater is at last decided. Adolph Ramish, I. C. Ackerman and Sam Harris, owners of the Hippodrome circuit of theaters, yesterday entered into a fifty-year lease with the Hamburger Realty Company for the whole Majestic Theater Building, wherein high-class vaudeville is to be housed.

The new theater will not be connected in any way with the Main-street Hippodrome and neither will the same policy be in vogue. A new and distinct policy of high-class vaudeville and photoplay productions will be introduced, according to the announcement of Mr. Ramish, et al.

The entire building is to be remodeled at a cost of about $150,000, including the interior of the theater, gallery, balcony, lower floor and stage, in order to make the capacity in the neighborhood of 1800. A separate entrance to the offices upstairs will be built, which will give the theater a larger and more spacious lobby.

The offices on the second and third floors will be entirely done away with, giving to the new theater the largest of promenades and retiring-rooms, including a nursery. There will be no gallery, only the main floor and a balcony, the latter to be reached by an incline and a few steps.

Albert C. Martin, Los Angeles architect, has plans about completed for the renovation of the house, according to which plans the house will be one of the most comfortable and luxurious on the west coast.

CLARA :: KIMBALL :: YOUNG.

She Arrived in Los Angeles Yesterday.

Star will make pictures at Lasky's,

And will also remain with us permanently with a house and a garden of her own.

FLASHES.

Here and There.

GRIFFITH'S NEW ONE.

MASTER DIRECTOR WILL STAGE ANOTHER WAR PLAY.

By Grace Kingsley.

Another great feature, which promises to rival "Hearts of the World," is to be made for Artcraft by D. W. Griffith, when the world's master director returns from New York, whither he went yesterday to prepare to launch his tremendous photodrama now running at Clune's Auditorium.

The second great photodrama will also be a war drama, and a sensational feature will be the appearance therein, probably in a prologue, of certain world famed figures, including no less a personage than Queen Alexandra of England, while the film also will show the Honorable David Lloyd George, Elizabeth Asquith, daughter of the Premier, Lady Diana Manners, Lillie Elsie (the famous English beauty,) and others. Appearing also will be some famous dwellings and estates of royalty.

The story will have as its central theme an international love story, with Lillian Gish, Robert Harron and George Fawcett playing the principal roles. The scenes will be laid in England and in France, also in this country, and many of the battle scenes taken by Mr. Griffith in France will be shown.

That President Wilson will view "Hearts of the World," is the object of arrangements at present being made. Mr. Griffith will stop over in Washington for the purpose.

Though the New York theater in which "Hearts of the World" will receive its eastern premier is still in doubt, Mr. Griffith expects to engage one of the the theaters which has never before been used for picture purposes, possibly the Metropolitan Operahouse, which it has just been announced will be given over to the showing of patriotic films during the summer season, under the direction of Samuel Rothapfel.

Clara K. Young Arrives.

Arriving with a retinue composed of members of the family and servants, Clara Kimball Young stepped from the Santa Fe train yesterday afternoon, having arrived in California to make select pictures at the Lasky studio.

After delivering herself of the usual complimentary remarks regarding the California climate, for which this department is having a rubber stamp prepared, and stating she was tired—though she looked as lovely and unruffled as though fresh from the hands of her maid—Miss Young replied in regard to the question about her stay in California, that it all depended on the success of the first two pictures already contracted for.

"Shall I do any more 'nightie' plays?" repeated Miss Young. "Well, I don't know. The Claw' is a South African story, and I'm happy to say most of it will be done out-of-doors. I hate the indoor work."

Then Miss Young took a shy at the public taste. "I'm not permitted to do the things I really like," she said, "like 'The Marionettes,' which had much subtlety. The public liked 'The House of Glass' because it didn't require any thought. The public taste demands its drama cut like pie—cut and pre-digested."

Regarding the rumors that she was shortly to be married to Louis Selznick, Miss Young branded them as absurd, Mr. Selznick already having a wife.

"I was married once," said Miss Young. "I'll try anything once, but I don't mean to be married again for a long, long time."

Asked whether it was true she intended to adopt a child, Miss Young said no, that she meant to have six children of her own some day, but that was quite some time off, naturally.

"I guess I'm a bit old-fashioned," said Miss Young, "but I really believe, despite all appearances to the contrary so far as I am concerned, that woman's sphere is her home—

FUNERAL FOR CIVIL WAR VETERAN HELD.

NONOGENARIAN WAS WITNESS OF LEE'S SURRENDER AT APPOMATTOX

Funeral services for Charles Merryweather, an eyewitness to Lee's surrender at Appomattox Courthouse, who saw service in the Fifth Michigan Cavalry throughout the Civil War, were conducted yesterday at 2 o'clock, at St. John's Episcopal Church. At the time of his death Mr. Merryweather was 90 years of age. He came to this country from England in 1851.

The deceased was instrumental in forming the first gas and electric company in Northern Michigan and was its first president. He came to Los Angeles in 1897, where he had resided with his family at No. 2101 Oak street. He had been practically retired from active business for many years.

Two daughters, Miss Maude Merryweather and Mrs. G. J. Miller, a son, Charles E. Merryweather, and the widow, Mrs. Harriette M. Merryweather are left behind. The funeral services were under the auspices of the Knights Templar, of which he was a member. In addition he was affiliated with the G.A.R. and was a Thirty-second Degree Mason.

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Come through.
Remember the boys
Over There;
Some suffering,
Some dying—for YOU.

HERSHEL ROBINSON.

IN RED STAR WORK.

"Col." Anita M. Baldwin Offers Prizes for Best Posters to be Exhibited by School Pupils.

Students of the high schools and the intermediate and grammar grades will open an exhibition tomorrow at noon in the toy-room of Hamburger's, of nearly 200 picture posters made by the scholars of the schools.

All of the young folk are members of the Red Star Junior League, and all of the posters will deal with Red Star work. "Col." Anita M. Baldwin, chairman of the Red Star, is giving two silver trophies for the best High School student poster, and for the best intermediate and grammar grade poster.

The posters are most interesting, and the exhibition is free. The youth and children, their parents and the public generally are invited to attend.

The result of the poster contest among the Junior League members was announced last evening as follows: First prize, silver cup, Virgil Lewis, Manual Arts High School; first prize, intermediate or grammar grade, Miss Carrie Edgland, Olive-street school, silver cup; second prize, fountain pen, Mildred Smith, Los Angeles High School, and third prize, $2, Theresa Lemar, Olive-street school. Honorable mention was given the following: Gladys Swain, Polytechnic High School; Yoshi Murai, B, eighth grade, Amelia-street school; Edna Stewart, Manual Arts High School; Helen E. Edgell, Los Angeles High School; Arline M. de Vaull, A, eighth, Olive-street school; Estelle A. C. Cross, Manual Arts High School; "Tillie," Mitchelltorena school.

RAIL SOLICITING ORDERED TO STOP.

BRANCH OFFICES HERE NOT TO SEEK PASSENGER AND FREIGHT BUSINESS.

Orders were received at all branch railroad offices in this city to suspend immediately the solicitation of passenger and freight business. The order came from Regional Director A. W. Aishton of Chicago.

"Ever since the government took over the railroad it has been rumored that passenger and freight solicitors would be laid off. The public thought at the time that it meant a disrupted service and a lessening of train service," said General Freight Agent T. M. Sloan of the Salt Lake Route yesterday in explanation. "However, when the public stops to think of it, it is seen that it is an unnecessary expense on the government's part to have solicitors, as the government controls all roads and it makes no difference which road is used as the money goes into the same pot.

"It is said that the expense of having solicitors runs into several millions of dollars yearly. In this city there are nearly 200 employed by the different lines. These men will be taken care of wherever possible. We shall open more bureaus of information and transfer others to different cities. The public need not fear it will receive any different service. When this road was taken over by the government the president sent a letter to all the heads of the different departments of the road, asking them to assist every way possible in the keeping up of the high standard of service."

ALHAMBRA MAN ON SEDITION CHARGE.

Overheard, the police charge, saying that he would like to see the United States beaten to its knees and that he hoped Germany would win the war, Frank J. Lepley of Alhambra was arrested last night in an East First-street saloon by Officers Hawtry and Brown and lodged in the City Jail on a charge of suspicion of seditious utterances. He will be turned over to Federal agents today for investigation.

LONG STRETCH FOR DISLOYAL.

Ninety Days in Jail for Man Who Sold Booze to Soldiers.

A plea of guilty to the charge of selling liquor to soldiers did not save Claud Giry when he came before Police Judge White yesterday. A straight sentence of ninety days in the City Jail was imposed. Mrs. Margaret Cluse, who was arrested with Giry and charged with the same offense, asked for a jury trial and will appear at the Woman's Court on April 10 for hearing. She was released under $500 bail.

Giry and Mrs. Cluse were arrested by Detectives Smith and Slaughter in a roominghouse at No. 211½ East Second street. According to the police, numerous complaints had been received from the military authorities stating the house was conducted for the purpose of selling liquor to soldiers. Mrs. Cluse denied this in asking for a jury trial.

FARM WORK BEYOND LAW.

Grand Larceny Case Goes Over so Defendant may Speed Production.

"It would be a breach of loyalty to hold back farm production during these times," declared Judge Willis, yesterday, when he postponed until May 20 the trial of Frank Dodson, against whom a charge of grand larceny is pending.

Dodson wrote the court from Brawley, asking a continuance of his case, stating that he is farming a 320-acre farm two miles north of that city, and has the land about ready to put in seed.

It is charged that Dodson stole an automobile, valued at $400, from J. P. Kane on December 7, last. Dodson stated in the letter to the court that he would prove his innocence.

SCHOOL STUDENT DIES.

Well-loved Young Girl, Suddenly Taken, will be Buried at Glendale Today.

Funeral services for Miss Tommie (Bessie) Schlador, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Schlador of Moreno, Cal., who passed away Wednesday, will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of W. A. Brown, No. 1325 South Flower street. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale.

Miss Schlador was born in Riverside, October 10, 1898. She was a little less than 20 years of age when death removed her from a family circle where she was greatly beloved. Her early girlhood was spent at Riverside, where she attended the public schools, being a student in the High School up to a short time ago, when she went to make her home with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Middleton of No. 415 Maryland avenue, Glendale, where she attendedd High School for a time.

Among her schoolmates Miss Schlador was noted for her loyal companionship, and in a wide circle of friends and acquaintances she was held in high esteem because of her beautiful character and her high ideals.

She leaves to mourn her loss the parents, four sisters, Mrs. Edward T. Gadden, Mrs. Mary Dowd, Mrs. Samuel Schlador and Mrs. Hattie Smith; and three brothers, Samuel, Charles and William Schlador.

VALUE OF STOCK IS MATTER AT ISSUE.

HOME BUILDERS' AFFAIRS ARE BEING INVESTIGATED BY GRAND JURY.

Investigation by the county grand jury of certain alleged financial irregularities in connection with the operation of the Home Builders, also known as the Mason Operahouse Home Builders, with offices in the Higgins Building, was begun yesterday and will be continued next week.

It is asserted that the inquiry was set on foot by a number of stockholders who are said to have grown dissatisfied over alleged excessive stock assessments above the present market value of the stock.

The stockholders in the corporation recently were notified, it is said, of assessment of 10 cents per share on all stock, all unpaid assessments automatically causing the stock to become delinquent. The present market value of the stock, it is asserted, is 4 cents a share, while on the other hand field agents of the corporation are said to have been buying up shares at 6 cents for the benefit of certain stockholders.

The grand jury is seeking to find whether the present stock assessment under conditions as set forth by the complaining stockholders is justified.

W. R. Myers, president of the Home Builders, said last night:

"This concern, like many others, finds itself loaded down with property that is not self-sustaining, and in order to save it, after the new officers were elected last January, we found it would be necessary to take the assessment of 10 cents per share. There was an accumulation of unpaid interest charges and taxes and other expenses that simply had to be met if the property was saved."

Litigation involving some former officers of the Home Builders is still in the local courts.

UNIQUE PLEA WINS.

Divorce Seeker Alleges Cruelty of Husband in Issuing Checks She Had to Make Good.

Mrs. Edna O. King, who was granted a decree of divorce from Cliff A. E. King by Judge York yesterday, alleged cruelty on the part of her husband in issuing checks which she was called upon to make good. She told the court that ordinarily two days did not elapse without some one calling her on the telephone to have her make good a check Mr. King had given them.

"At least fifty checks were issued," she said, "in the three months before we separated."

The Kings were married in 1910 and separated in March, 1917.

AWARD DAMAGES FOR PAINT PLANT DEATH.

A jury in Judge Houser's court yesterday awarded a verdict against the Fidelity and Casualty Company and in favor of the Paraffin Paint Company and the Atlas Factories Company, in a suit to recover $50,000 damages for the death of Charles Perry Whitaker, who was fatally burned by the explosion of paint.

It was alleged by the plaintiff that the paint was represented to be non-explosive. When Mr. Whitaker was emptying some of the paint, May 15, 1917, it exploded, caught fire and he was so badly burned that he died the following day. The defendants set up contributory negligence.

ACTRESS LEASES HOME.

Beautiful West Adams Residence is Rented for Months by Clara Kimball Young.

The beautiful home of Anne W. Stimson at No. 825 West Adams street, one of the residential show places of Los Angeles, was leased yesterday by Clara Kimball Young, motion-picture actress, for a period of several months. The house occupies large grounds at the corner of West Adams and Scarff streets and is set in a bower of lawn and gardens.

The film actress, whose separation from her husband was one of the recent sensations of the local divorce courts, will occupy the palatial establishment with her father and mother. The lease was made through the Wright-Callender-Andrews Company and is reported to involve a rental consideration running well up into four figures per month.

GOES TO NEW FIELD.

Sergt. Fachman, Dean of Marine Corps Recruiting Here, Receives Promotion.

The United States Marine Corps recruiting station here lost its dean last night, when the San Joaquin flyer carried Sergt. Chester A. Fachman northward to a new field of duty. He will become chief clerk at division headquarters at San Francisco.

Sergt. Fachman reported here for duty on February 12, 1913, and established the original recruiting station in the Yorke Hotel, at Second and Main streets. Four men a month was considered good business in those days. By hard work he kept a steady quota of men going northward to the Mare Island navy yard for training, and finally convinced the officer in charge of the division at San Francisco that Los Angeles should have a more elaborate recruiting force. Since that time, many enlisted men and several commissioned officers have been attached to the Marines in this city for duty.

ON SLAYING CHARGE.

The trial of John Knox Portwood on a charge of having slain Herman Miller Jakobasch at Trogden's camp, in the San Gabriel Canyon, December 26 last, was reset for May 7, by Judge Willis yesterday.

TALCUM POWDER BRINGS ARREST.

Perfume Filtering Through Transom Gives Officers Clew.

The perfume of a well-known brand of talcum powder, recognized by Corp. R. B. Harris and Detective Ritch of the Central Station while they were searching a hotel near Seventh and San Julian streets yesterday, led to the arrest of a man suspected of being the apartment-house burglar who looted more than a score of rooms in the east end of the business district recently.

Working from the suspect's description, Corp. Harris and Detective Ritch traced the man to the hotel. While passing one of the rooms Harris detected the odor of the talcum powder, several cans of which had been stolen in a burglary two days ago. In the room the detectives found several suit cases full of alleged stolen property and arrested a man who gave the name of Mike Feller, 19. He was booked on the charge of suspicion of burglary.

IN MURDER CASE.

Judge Sets Trial Date for Youthful Bandit Who is Accused of Murdering a Groceryman.

Judge Craig yesterday set the trial of Charles Hadley, 17 years old, who is accused of the murder of Philip J. Metz, a grocer, January 22, for June 17.

Hadley is said to have been a member of a gang of "boy bandits," which included Harold Denman, Richard Riley, Glen Way, Harold Spears and William Dunn. Riley and Denman are also involved in the Metz murder.

Hadley was recently sent back to the jurisdiction of the Superior Court by Judge Reeve of the Juvenile Court, who, despite the youth of the defendant, claimed non-jurisdiction because of the gravity of the offense.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments

GRAUMANS MILLION DOLLAR THEATRE — Broadway at Third — BROADWAY AT THIRD — CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE Beginning at 11:15 a.m. 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15 p.m. PRICES: Matinees, 15c and 25c; evening, 15c and 25c; Sunday and holiday matinees, same as evening prices. — Jesse L. Lasky Presents SESSUE HAYAKAWA in "The Honor of His House" — WEEK OF MARCH 24. Coming Monday, April 1 Maeterlinck's "The Bluebird" A mighty spectacle of happiness; long awaited as the supreme triumph of art in the photoplay.

MILLER'S — SPRING & MAIN AT NINTH — Shows: 11, 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6, 7:40 & 9:15. BESSIE LOVE in "THE GREAT ADVENTURE" CHERNIAVSKY in Solo Numbers Twice Nightly. Coming Monday "Woman and the Law" NEW YORK'S GREATEST SENSATION

ALHAMBRA — MILLER'S HILL STREET THEATER — Shows 11, 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:00, 7:45, 9:15. Prices, 10c, 20c, 30c. GLADYS BROCKWELL as the "WILD CAT" in "THE DEVIL'S WHEEL" "BATTLE OF SOMME," LATEST OFFICIAL WAR FILMS.

ORPHEUM — THE BEST OF VAUDEVILLE — CECIL LEAN, also CLEO MAYFIELD "Songs of the Moment" — HARRY HOLMAN & CO. "Adam Killjoy" — HARRY & EMMA SHARROCK "Behind the Grandstand" — EDMUND LA TELL "Le Chien Rigolo" — HARRY & ETTA CONLEY "At the Cross Roads" — AL SHAYNE Assisted by Joe Bully — WILL M. CRESSY and BLANCHE DAYNE, "A City Case" — PAUL MORTON and NAOMI GLASS, "1918-1959" — ORPHEUM SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA. PATHE EXCLUSIVE NEWS VIEWS. — Next Week GERTRUDE HOFFMANN — Seats Selling

KINEMA — Grand at 7th — Phone—Main 101; F1610 — Feature Starts at 12, 2, 4, 6, 8, 9:30. LAST 2 DAYS "The Whispering Chorus" —ASK THOSE WHO SAW IT— AND WM. S. HART'S Big New Artcraft Feature "Blue Blazes Rawden" — Abraham Lincoln "The Son of Democracy"

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE — GRUBER'S ANIMALS A Treat for Both Young and Old. LEROY & CAHILL In "The Song and Dance Revue of 1918" — Lane & Lane, 2 million-dollar dolls; Nancy Fair in songs and sayings; Goldie & Ayres, "Good Feeling;" Shriner & Herman, "Don't Tell That" latest episode, "Hidden Hand." — Peanut Matinee Saturday for the kiddies. Stage reception by Minnie, baby elephant.

SUPERBA — HERBERT RAWLINSON As the Man Who Laughed at Death In the Sensational Bluebird creation "BRACE UP"

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NO FORGETTING.

The first anniversary of the beginning of the war and the opening of the third Liberty Loan will both occur next week, April 6. Do not forget the date. [P.S.—This advice is "sarkasm." You won't be allowed to do any forgetting.]

LET US PRAY.

What a splendid thing it would be if on Easter morning the hosannas that well up in every Christian heart on account of the rising of Christ from the dead, should be joined in a chorus of praise to the Most High for the wiping out of Prussian autocracy.

IMAGINE.

Japan is not ready to oppose the Germans in Russia; but to show that the Nippon government's heart is in the right place, negotiations have been completed for the transfer of 150,000 tons of Japanese shipping to the United States. Now watch the Kaiser rage and imagine a vain thing.

LET US TRUST.

Don't worry, the American troops are doing their part in the great tragedy on the western front. They are being handled by commanders on the ground who understand the situation from every angle and are competent to carry out the job. And let us trust they they may "quit themselves like men" in the supreme test that is before them!

SPEAK UP, BOLO!

Bolo Pasha paid Senator Charles Humbert, proprietor of Le Journal of Paris, $1,100,000 of German money for a controlling interest in his newspaper. Now Humbert, who is awaiting trial on a charge of treason, has been ordered by the courts to return the money to Bolo Pasha. Bolo's property is under sequestration because of his having been found guilty of treason and condemned to death. Under the laws of France the property of Bolo would revert to his next of kin unless confiscated by the government during his lifetime. Consequently, Bolo will not be executed until the French government has in its treasury the money which Humbert will have returned to Bolo. The world is waiting for Bolo's full confession telling where he placed that $2,000,000 in America.

HELPING LITTLE CHILDREN.

The Fatherless Children of France Association is happily linking the spirit of Easter with its noble relief work on behalf of the French children whose fathers shed their life blood to check the bestial, bloodthirsty rush of the war-crazed Hun. The association is selling neat cards bearing Easter greetings and this message, "In your name I am giving happiness to a French soldier's orphan." It is hoped that many thousands of people will feel it in their hearts at this time to make this small contribution to France's little ones. They are bereaved and in want now because of sacrifices made to keep the tyrant heel of cruel Kaiserism from the neck of civilization. Their appeal to the people of Los Angeles, through the local association and Mr. Fusenot will surely be heard.

HOW WE LOVE 'EM!

At Altus, Okla, two pro-Germans were compelled to kiss the American flag, and were then lashed with a blacksnake whip and tarred and feathered.

At Reno, Nev., Elmer White, who had boasted that he helped celebrate the sinking of the Tuscania, was lashed to a stake and beaten with cat-o'-nine tails by a citizens' committee. After the whipping he was tarred and feathered and ordered out of town.

Ten men in Oakland, Cal., who toasted the Kaiser last week in a cafe, were fined $200 each and sentenced to ninety days in the County Jail. They appealed. The Times is of opinion that the Oklahoma and the Nevada method of dealing with traitors is more effective than the Oakland method. There is no appeal from an uplifted cat-o'-nine tails, and a bucket of tar will not listen to a motion se defendendo, non constat, sans culotte, non obstante veredicto.

SUNSET.

"When the sun of a great empire sets it sets like stars that fail to rise no more." Such was the fate of Persia, of Egypt, of Greece, of Carthage, of Rome, of Spain and of the empires constructed by Mahomet, by Charlemagne and by the first Napoleon.

The mighty empire built up by the Romanoffs has gone. It did not perish on the field of battle. It died of a traitorous, cowardly, corrupt, ignoble, humiliating peace negotiated by the Bolsheviki with their German purchasers. The soviet dogs agreed that the Russian armies should be demobilized; the Russian navy interned; vast areas of territory turned over to the Prussian conquerors, and Germany permitted to exploit commercially and industrially all that is left of Russia.

If there has been or could be any doubt of the duty of ourselves and our allies to fight on and preserve free government from the destruction with which Germany menaces it, that doubt would be dispelled by remembering the fate that has befallen Russia.

WISCONSIN'S BOLSHEVIKI.

Party loyalty and national loyalty have clashed in the Wisconsin campaign for the election of a United States Senator with a shock that has been felt all over the country. Socialism, Bolsism and Bolshevikism are rampant in the State of badgers, beer and Bronco Bob La Follette. There is probably more disloyalty per square foot in Wisconsin than anywhere else in the country. It made its appearance in the Senatorial primaries, where a pronounced pro-German sympathizer was beaten for the Republican nomination by but a narrow margin. The patriotic issue was then raised, and the disloyalists took advantage of the provisions of a direct primary law similar to that now in effect in California to declare themselves Republicans and vote en masse for one of their own kind. The blame attaches to the direct primary which lends itself so readily to fraud and political chicanery. It was the misfortune and not the fault of the Republican party that the undesirables elected to make an attempt to capture the Republican primary.

But the Democratic leaders at Washington, including the President and Vice-President, have chosen to lay the blame at the door of the Republican party in Wisconsin, and they are making an open and aggressive campaign to capture a Republican seat in the Senate under what looks to be a rather thin disguise of patriotism. Representative Lenroot is the Republican candidate. As a member of the lower house of Congress he has supported the war policy of the administration; yet the Democratic leaders are demanding that he shall withdraw in favor of Joseph E. Davies, the Democratic candidate, lest a division of patriotic support shall permit Victor Berger, the Socialist and pro-German candidate, to win. There would appear to be equal reason that the administration should ask Davies, an untried man, to retire in favor of Lenroot, who has been tested in the crucible of actual service and not found wanting.

President Wilson has written two letters in support of Davies's campaign in which he appears to have permitted party enthusiasm to blind him for the moment to the higher patriotism of which he has been regarded the symbol during the progress of the war. In one of these letters he asserted that "The men in the trenches who have been freed from the economic serfdom to which some of them had been accustomed will return to their home with a new view and a new impatience of all mere political phrases." In the other letter the President declared that the acid test of a man's patriotism was his vote on the McLemore resolution in Congress. Representative Lenroot voted for that resolution and the President said that this vote marked him as an unfit man to sit in the Federal Senate.

Republican members of the Senate rose in their wrath on Wednesday and devoted a whole afternoon to challenging the right of the Democrats, from the President down, to raise the disloyalty issue against Representative Lenroot. Senator Smoot pointed out that the President failed to consider a vote for the McLemore resolution an "acid test" of a man's patriotism until occasion came to use it for the purpose of winning a seat in the Senate. "When the President makes that charge he accuses himself of rewarding disloyalty," asserted Senator Smoot, "for the President himself appointed former Representative Kent of California, one of the most ardent supporters of the McLemore resolution, to a place on the Federal Tariff Board." Senator Smoot added that it was bad grace for the President to confer such signal honor on a Democrat who voted for the McLemore resolution and then to question the loyalty of a Republican who also voted for it.

Other incensed Republicans have taken vigorous exception to the President's reference to "economic serfdom," asserting that economic serfdom has never existed in this country and intimating that the President should have too much regard for his exalted position to permit Bolshevik phrases to creep into his correspondence. The debate in the Senate became acridly partisan on both sides and there were no evidences of a truce when the day's session ended. Conservative members of both parties deplored that such a discussion should be precipitated at the time when the Hun drive was at its apogee, warning that it might create the impression abroad that the American people are divided in the face of the enemy.

Over the whole Wisconsin campaign lies the shadow of the arch-demagogue Senator La Follette. It was the La Follette forces that massed in the Republican primaries to defeat Lenroot, and they are now expected to vote for Berger the Socialist and disloyalist in order to gratify the spite of La Follette against a people that has denounced him for his pacifist, demagogic and disloyal utterances. If the Senate had shown more activity in hearing the charges preferred against La Follette, there might now be two vacant seats in the Senatorial delegation from Wisconsin in place of one.

It is to be regretted that the Wisconsin campaign should be fought out upon such terrain. There has been a demand from the country at large that this year's campaign shoud be conducted on nonpartisan lines; but if that is to be done the Democrats must meet the Republicans half way. His vote on the McLemore resolution is the only charge that has been brought against Lenroot, while his votes on other war measures prove beyond cavil that his patriotism is not to be questioned. In fact, extracts from his addresses were circulated by government bureaus, before he became a candidate, as models of loyal and patriotic utterance. A suggestion of a conference between Republican and Democratic leaders would have been much more patriotic than to ask all loyal Republicans to abandon Lenroot and vote for Davies as a patriotic duty.

A drive for Republican control of the next Congress as a means of electing a Republican President in 1920 is on. Of course this is a nonpartisan war, but the political fires won't stop burning.

It is now proposed to use mussels more extensively as a food in order to win the war. Mussels are good, but they require a lot of butter. Now watch the prices of mussels aviate!

Our platform: If Holland doesn't like it she can do the other thing. No time for argument.

RING THE BELLS.

The proposition to have the church and school bells of California all rung simultaneously at a suitable hour of each day in remembrance of our boys in the army and navy, and the great struggle they are in, ought to bring the people of the State promptly to their feet as does the national anthem when sung or played in an assembly.

The suggestion, made by Gertrude Dodds Treher and John S. McGroaty, is of commanding force and should be answered with religious and patriotic enthusiasm. It is like a call to arms which none can fail or hesitate to obey. It seems to be of divine origin and authority and to be faultlessly adapted to conditions and needs. The spirit of patriotism dominates the hearts and minds of the people and the love of liberty is like the fire in the bush which burned and was not consumed.

We are accustomed to the ringing of bells and alert to its meaning. We are swayed by the sounds that flow out from our churches and schoolhouses and roll onward like the waves of the great ocean. And we respond to their calls with alacrity and delight. Our churches and schools are distributed all over the State and the calls of their ringing bells are heard by all the people. Let those bells all ring simultaneously and every loyal heart in all the State will thrill with exalted purpose. Forces are multiplied by concert of movement. One is equal to a thousand, but two can put 10,000 to flight. And a thousand strong-toned bells ringing all at once and for the same cause will be an irresistible influence in any land.

We need that inspiration to high and holy purposes. The people of our State need it, loyal and devout as they are. And, to be all called at the same time to think the same high and noble thoughts, and to cherish the same exalted purposes, will lift us to a higher plane of character and effort. And we have the churches and the schoolhouses with their bells all ready to ring out their melodies in the grandest concert ever heard beneath the skies.

And we have the responsive people and the most sacred cause that ever called for human consecration and courage. Let history record that the bell ringing movement was a success.

WHO ARE THE DISLOYAL?

"Hundreds of thousands of persons in this country who are able to render great assistance are positively disloyal," declared that vigorous seaman and salty talker, Rear-Admiral Fullam, at the National Defense League luncheon in this city on Wednesday. He added: "If they are not disloyal in their remarks and acts, they are so by their lack of patriotic service."

How soon will this fact come home to the slower-moving minds among us? The actual number of these hundreds of thousands of this class in the United States, no amount of estimating can tell, but that they constitute an unfortunately large aggregate there can be no doubt. The moral sense of a great body of Americans has not yet been awakened, despite all the proofs they have had of the righteousness of the nation's cause and the vast menace of the Prussian Moloch.

We are at war with a dominant and predatory class which keeps the world under arms, and always subject to threat. To free mankind from this intolerable burden, to break the ruthless power that wickedly assumes by divine right to destroy people and states, and to open the paths of civilization to all the messengers of peace—to this end the use of every citizen in some capacity is not only warranted, but imperative if liberty is not to perish.

Yet, as Admiral Fullam points out, the use of every citizen is not being vouchsafed to the common cause. As he says: "Thousands are showing their disloyalty by striking and delaying the building of ships of which we are greatly in need. They claim they are loyal, but they are traitors."

American labor is predominatingly loyal, yet nevertheless war work has been seriously hampered and dangerously delayed by successive unionite disputes, strike threats and walkouts. A favorite excuse of the radical union bosses who are responsible for this condition is that labor should never, in war or peace, give up its "right" to strike. The new consciousness of power which the war has brought has been seized upon by the I.W.W. and other vicious elements as a means to advance their supposed interests, without regard for their country and the great principles of human liberty and democracy which are at stake.

There are no "rights" in this country which are so important as saving the unnecessary slaughter of our soldiers at the front. There never has been such a challenge to the loyalty of American workingmen as this. Every employee, as well as every employer, must make sacrifices of personal profit in this enterprise. The proof of the American workingman's loyalty should be given in the quantity of his output toward winning the war.

The war, now brought very close to us by the participation of our soldiers in the tremendous battle of Picardy, will revivify the courageous spirits of the nation, rouse us from the lethargy of ease and fancied security, and teach us again before it is too late that liberty can be enjoyed only by those who are fit to preserve it. It will rally us to concerted effort, subject us to needed discipline, and school us in that efficiency in which we alone of the great nations have received no adequate training.

We have pledged ourselves as a nation to rid the earth forever of the brutal wrongs now outraging humanity and challenging civilization. Our duty neither to humanity nor to posterity can be fulfilled save by the performance of our duty to ourselves also as individuals. The two tasks are synonymous. The day of the justifiable pacifist is past. The man or woman who does not serve the nation's cause in the war is a traitor, a person without a country, an outcast from the society of honest people.

THE CASE OF BOLO.

No sympathy will be felt for Bolo Pasha. He was given full and fair trial, and his appeal from the death sentence has been denied, after calm and careful consideration by the Court of Revision. Though France is at war, the national excitement is not echoed in her halls of justice. It was no hurried drum-head trial that convicted either Mata Hari or Bolo Pasha.

All things considered, it must be admitted that the death penalty for treason is in modern times very rarely imposed.

That treason itself is as frequent as ever, does not seem to be a matter of doubt. The effects, if not the culprits, have been often detected, and this sets sensible people wondering whether the softening of the age in the matter of administering punishment is not responsible for the hardening of those who are guilty of the most fiendish crime which can be perpetrated against a nation. —[San Francisco Chronicle.

A CONCESSION.

The wife of a successful young literary man had hired a buxom Dutch girl to do the housework. Several weeks passed and, from seeing her master constantly about the house, the girl received an erroneous impression.

"Ogscuse me, Mrs. Blank," she said to her mistress one day, "but I like to say somedings."

"Well, Rena."

The girl blushed, fumbled with her apron, and then replied. "Vell, you pay me four tollars a veek——"

"Yes, and I really can't pay you any more."

"It's not dot," responded the girl; "but I be villing to take three tollars till—till your husband gets work."—[Boston Transcript.

AMID THE SHADOWS IN FLANDERS.

BY JOHN MUNDAY.

Sore wounded was I in life's battle, and I thought
That no one cared, so hid my sore in pride:
Until one day, while praying 'neath the Cross,
I felt a Some One kneeling at my side.

I could not see Him, yet within my heart,
I was quite sure that Some One shared my prayer:
I could not see Him, yet the inward smart,
Felt somehow better for His presence there.

And when I rose to go, it seemed to me
I heard an inward voice that whispered low:
"I share thy pain, it was that this might be,
My Heaven I left, the woes of earth to know."

And ever after, though the rankling pain
Still throbbed and stung; I had the strength to bear:
Because my Brother's sympathy had lain
His loving Hand, His healing touches, there.

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And so, methinks, on Flanders' field today
There's many a soldier feels himself alone;
By ebb of battle left, while round him lie
His fellow heroes—like Fall's trophies strown.

Wounded and helpless 'neath the burning sun,
Frozen and stiff, blighted by Kultur's laws;
Gassed, maimed, tortured, by the ruthless Hun,
Some mother's cherished one, dying for Freedom's cause.

His comrades by his side are wrapped in sleep
Which shall no waking know. Till breaks the day
That calls to fuller life th' heroic dead
Who for fair Liberty endured the fray.

O Savior Christ, Thou Who knew human woe,
Who in Thy Love brought respite to my grief;
Be with my brother in his dying throe,
And to his loneliness bring blest relief.

Teach him—O Thou Who in Thy anguish sore,
Didst breathe forgiveness to the sinner's soul:
That Thou art by his side—nevermore
To leave him, till he's reached the goal.

We cannot help him in his suffering dire,
We cannot, though we would, relieve his care:
But Thou, Who stood by Michael in the fire,
Can make this later brother sure that Thou art there.

Beneath him let him feel Thy strong embrace,
Stay with him, Brother, Savior, Friend:
As shadows lengthen let him see Thy Face,
Hold him, cheer him, keep him to the end.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

IN OUR TOWN.

It's hard for us to realize that war is daily roaring, that every minute someone dies, that blood in rills is pouring. Things go along the same old way as they've been going always; the lawyers climb, day after day, their grimy stairs and hallways. The little boys are playing ball, as are the larger fellows; and in the musty music hall the public speaker bellows. The merchant prince is after kale, as though there were no battles, and now he springs a bargain sale of stoves and baby rattles. The mayor cries, "Take the trash away!" which scheme the town indorses; Jim Billings runs his yellow dray, and whales his lazy horses. The idle rich, the upper crust, ride by in costly motors, and throw their clouds of choking dust on tired and plodding voters. The candidate proceeds to chew his rag in old time manner, and tells how much he'd gladly do, to save our threatened banner. The schoolmarm makes the children hum, and plies her trusty ruler; the peelers pinch the passing bum, and file him in the cooler. The tightwad's clutch upon his dime pale death alone can sever; oh, things go on, in this stern time, about the same as ever. WALT MASON.

THE VALUE OF A SMILE.

"He came down to breakfast every morning as if he had heard a particularly good piece of news." The man of whom Emerson wrote is famous. We worked in a company with such a man once. When our work turned upside down, backwards, and the circumambient air seemed particularly dark, we would say to one of our side partners, "Well, I am going to see Mr. ——— for a minute."

"What for?" someone would say. "You are not in his department."

"That doesn't make any difference."

"What are you going to say—you can't bother him with your work?"

"Oh, I am going in to say, 'How do you do, Mr. ———?' and he will say, 'Hullo, Jim, how are things going?' And I will say, 'Oh, all right,' and come back. And every single time I would get back to my desk that work would have straightened out and become as well behaved as a converted trail hitter. And the only secret I have ever found in the whole matter was 'he knew how to smile.' You can rave about the wonders of the heavens, but from the cradle to the grave, I know of nothing more beautiful than a smile."—[Joy Stick (England.)

GERMANY AND ART.

BY WILLARD H. WRIGHT,
Author of "Modern Painting," "The Creative Will," "The Great Modern French Stories," Etc.

Since the great war began the spokesmen of the Allies have poured forth a steady stream of reasons why the Germanic mind must not rule the world. But throughout this great Saturnalia of logic and paralogy, this vast tournament of eloquence and hysteria, I have failed to find any discussion of one particular subject which, to me, seems to be of cardinal importance—namely: The effect of Teutonic domination on literature and art.

In the heat of political, ethical and economic wrangling this subject may seem of minor interest; but the fact remains that the creative intellectual life of a nation is the gauge to its culture, and has been since the dawn of civilization. A nation without art is a nation without ideals or vision; and wherever we find a fecund and energetic productiveness in the realm of art we find a richness and breadth of character and a vitality of achievement in those things which make for the highest progress. Life, in the broad sense, is a search for beauty; and the evolution of art has developed hand in hand with the evolution of the human mind. When the creative will is hampered or thwarted the most exalted visions and the noblest aspirations of mankind are checked.

In modern Germany the static mind has for many years been gaining the ascendency. Teutonic civilization of the past half-century has developed almost solely along rigid and hard-and-fast lines. Inflexibility has become the national ideal. The Germanic mind has hardened into set formulas of thought and action, and has denied a place to the softer, malleable qualities of emotional fluctuability. System, which is the reverse of plasticity, has become pre-eminent: the heart has been slowly but surely strangled by the cold fingers of an inexorable logic. In fine, those very qualities which make for a fertile and complete beauty in human conception, and which are the very flesh and blood and breath of the arts, have become crushed out and supplanted by qualities which are diametrically opposed to the creation of beauty.

And what has been the result? No figure of the first magnitude has appeared in German literature since Heine and Goethe. In the drama Hauptmann stands almost alone; and his lack of the greater rhythmic qualities of genius is woefully apparent in his few unsuccessful attempts at the profounder and richer literary form—the novel. The short story has no modern master in Germany, unless we admit the names of Sudermann and Schnitzler. The novel is without a single great exponent; and poetry is notoriously below the highest standards. As for painting and sculpture, it is possible to write an entire history of modern art without mentioning a German. Not even a commanding second-rate painter or sculptor has appeared in that nation in recent times. In music alone has Germany held the forefront; and we can readily find an explanation for this in the fact that music is the most rigid, precise and mathematical of all the arts. But even in this field she has fallen far below the achievements of her own immediate past. Furthermore, there are signs that the new vitality in musical evolution is springing up in other nations.

It is as difficult as it is appalling to contemplate the disastrous effect which German domination would have on the future evolution of creative art. The Teutonic qualities of mind, were they to permeate the world in accord with the hopes and purposes of the German war mechanicians, would create an intellectual terrain so barren and so bleak that only the most superficial and arid art productions could possibly thrive in it. Without plasticity there can be no creative genius of a high order, for it is the plastic mind alone which reacts to rhythm, harmony, poise and balance—those fundamental and necessary factors of all moving and permanent art. The vision of every great artist has necessarily been mobile; creation itself is a swaying and balancing process, for it must adapt itself to circumstances and be ready to soar in any direction in response to stimuli.

That is exactly what the German mind, with its systems and formulas and set moulds, cannot accomplish; and it is this characteristic which distinguishes it basically from the Latin and emotional minds with which it is now at death gripe. Life cannot be formulated by predetermined conceptions, for life is inherently fluid; and art, which is a reestatement of life, cannot be formulated either. All German failure can be traced to this principle; and all German success is to be found in temporarily dehumanizing processes. Rigid rules will work up to a certain point: then they become dead and useless; but they never achieve the highest results.

The center of culture—namely, of those things which lift man above the animal—has long been France; for it is here that we find the modern plastic mind in its purest state. France's aesthetic influence has sent out its radiation through all the world. It is the fructifying field of genius because it is free from those intellectual systems which curb and dwarf creative impulses. To supplant these conditions with static rules would be to destroy the free and spontaneous energy of creative production. The plastic mind, which is broadly represented by the Allies, is the only mind from which the art of the future can spring. And the static mind, which is broadly represented by the Germanic powers, renders any great art production impossible.

Therefore, when we contemplate this war of opposing ideals, let us not overlook this vital reason why German domination is undesirable.

PEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

Get ready to set that ——— clock ahead.

As loyal Americans let us take the "mock" out of daylight.

We can spend that extra hour of daylight in the war garden. Sow Bo.

Forget the calendar and clock for anything that will assist in winning the war.

Have heard nothing about the Los Angeles "war dogs" since they left for the western front.

Reports from the front indicate that the Kaiser is about to go on a spurlos versenkt.

The firm of "Me Und Gott" is about to dissolve by the withdrawal of the senior member.

With the government in charge of the railroads, wonder what has become of the "spotters" these days?

If the railroad rates continue to climb we shall soon be unable to afford to do our traveling by airplane.

It is now claimed that the health of the Czar is losing his mind. It would seem that this would be inevitable.

One army, one flag and one nation. All neighborhood or local distinctions are wiped out in a united army.

As the war progresses, the easy chair officers will experience more and more trouble keeping their seats.

Some of these fine days, Herbert Hoover will learn all about how Reed attacking him, and then there will be trouble.

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How ever'body's trained it
Just what Bill Kaiser will do
And consequently that's
And chuck full of glee—

Then they went on to say
Fall down forever—and ever
Because instead of being
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PEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

Get ready to set that clock ahead.

As loyal Americans let us take the "mock" out of democracy.

We can spend that extra hour of daylight in the war garden. Yes, Bo.

Forget the calendar and hurrah for anything that will assist in winning the war.

Have heard nothing about the Los Angeles "war dogs" along the western front.

Reports from the front indicate that the Kaiser is about to go down spurios versenkt.

The firm of "Me Und Gott" is about to dissolve by the withdrawal of the senior member.

With the government in charge of the railroads, wonder who knows the "spotters" these days?

If the railroad rates continue to climb we shall soon be compelled to do our traveling by airplane.

It is now claimed that the former Czar is losing his mind. It would seem that this would be impossible.

One army, one flag and one nation. All neighborhood or ward distinctions are wiped out in the army.

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...ANESE OPEN ...W QUARTERS.

...e Handicraft Exhibited ...d Red Cross Rooms.

...nese Auxiliary Boats In... ...ssing Membership.

...'s Wife is Leader in ... Women's Activities.

...t as intermingling of quaint ...raditional Nipponese handi... ...nd up-to-date Red Cross effi... ...the new workrooms of the ...ese Auxiliary of the Red Cross ...formally opened yesterday at ...31 Jackson street. Along the ...of the clean, airy rooms of the ...premises stood long tables on ...which was a cooking exhibit by ...of the foremost Japanese chefs ...the city. A plain white radish ...exhibit was converted into ...most perfect reproduction of a ...lady's net. Again, a graceful ...flower with delicate stamens ...and in the center of a celery ...and it was with difficulty that ...deception was noticed.

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Doing Their Bit for Men in Trenches.

At the opening of Japanese Red Cross headquarters, Where bizarre art of the Orient was mingled with evidence of patriotic efficiency. Above are some of the members of the auxiliary, including the officers, lower row, left to right, Mesdames Furisawa, Kasai, Tanaka, Oyama, the wife of the Japanese Consul here; Hasegawa and Kishi. Below is part of the exhibit of vegetable carving.

Pathetic.

FOSTER PARENTS VERSUS MOTHER IN WAR FOR TOT.

A MOTHER crying for her baby girl, whom she relinquished when the world was dark, and a well-to-do family, whose heart-strings have crept around the child and are seeking to make her their own, is the drama to be played in the Juvenile Court today.

The child is Donna Spencer Lee, 3 years old. The mother is Mrs. Donna Lee, a ward of the court, and now in the California Industrial School for Girls at Ventura. The people who want to adopt Donna are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Moch of Huntington Park. The father of the child is James Lee, now in Santa Cruz county.

The problem is a hard one to crack for Judge Reeve, for back of the mother is Mrs. C. M. Weyman, superintendent of the Ventura institution, and fighting the legal battle for Mrs. Lee is the law firm of Argabrite and Drapeau of Ventura.

The Mochs have retained Hunsaker and Britt and Jackson Mahon.

Mrs. Lee gave a relinquishment of her daughter to a probation officer. The latter turned the child over to the Children's Home Society, which placed her in the Moch home in July, 1916. She brought a ray of sunshine into the home and to part with the girl would break the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Moch. Under the adoption rule, the Mochs would agree to make Donna their heir. She lacks nothing.

But the mother wants her babe. Mrs. Weyman takes the ground that the possession of her daughter will be the means of completing the reform of the mother, making her a better woman. But legal obstacles intervene which will be threshed out, with Judge Reeve ruling to the very best interests of the girl.

BY MILLION CLUB.

Organization Members are to Meet Loved Ones of Company that They have Adopted.

Arrangements were completed yesterday by the Los Angeles Million Club to meet the mothers, sisters, sweethearts and friends of Co. A, National Guard, Wednesday, April 3, in the Broadway Department Store auditorium, between 2 and 5 o'clock p.m. The Million Club has been accorded the honor of mothering this company, and on that occasion desires to meet all women interested in its stalwart protegés.

Sergt. Wells, who has just returned from the front in France, will tell of his experiences in the shell-swept trenches. There will be a series of addresses on the Liberty Loan and a musical programme has been arranged. Mrs. Clara Shortridge Foltz, president of the club, will preside.

SUES OVER ALLEGED USE OF TRADEMARK.

The Prest-o-Lite Company, Inc., of New York, began an action in the United States District Court yesterday against William R. Traschell and Glen Roy, doing business under the name of the San Diego Headlight Gas Company, for alleged infringement of the trademark "Prest-o-Lite."

The patented process consists of preparing acetylene gas in packages for distribution to customers, and it is alleged that the complainants have spent more than a million dollars advertising the business and its conduct. They ask for an injunction and an accounting of the profits alleged to have been made by the San Diego concern.

DRUG CHARGE.

Peter Radovitch, a Greek, is being tried before Federal Judge Trippet on the charge of having eleven five-tael cans of smoking opium in his possession in San Diego, in June, 1917. The drug was captured by W. B. Evans, customs inspector in charge of the Tia Juana district.

ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

Mrs. Mildred Thompson, 40 years old, of No. 1147 Fedora street, attempted to commit suicide yesterday by turning on the gas in her room while other members of the family were away, according to the police report. At the Receiving Hospital, where she was given emergency treatment, the physicians declared she probably will recover.

A Woman's Burdens

are lightened when she turns to the right medicine. If her existence is made gloomy by the chronic weakness, delicate derangements, and painful disorders that afflict her sex, she will find relief and emancipation from her troubles in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If she's overworked, nervous, or "run-down," she finds new life and strength. It's a powerful invigorating tonic and nervine which was discovered and used by an eminent physician for many years, in all cases of "female complaints" and weakness. For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life;" in bearing down sensations, periodical pains, ulceration, inflammation, and every kindred ailment, the "Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine put up without alcohol—ingredients on wrapper.

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Battle Lines.

DRYS AND WETS WAR IN COURT.

Prohibitionists and Saloon Men at Grips.

Validity of Closing Measure Point at Issue.

Argument will be Resumed this Morning.

The legal battle being waged in Judge Myers's court, on the part of the liquor interests to knock out, by a restraining order, the Gandier no-liquor ordinance, scheduled to take effect April 1, and on the part of the city to carry out the law, drew a throng to the courtroom yesterday. D. M. Gandier, author of the ordinance, was there as superintendent of the Southern California Anti-Saloon League, supported by S. T. Montgomery, assistant superintendent of the league. S. W. Odell, a staunch Prohibitionist, was in court carefully watching the proceedings and numerous lawyers were attentive spectators.

The large percentage of spectators were saloon and restaurant men, whose property will be confiscated, they say, if the ordinance takes effect.

The arguments as outlined by Attorney Max Lowenthal, who prepared the now famous 427-page injunction suit to restrain the enforcement of the ordinance, and City Attorney Stephens and Assistant City Attorney Burnell have to do with the validity of the proceedings leading up to the passage of the ordinance and the validity of the ordinance itself.

CITY'S CONTENTION.

The city relies absolutely on the validity of the proceedings as shown by the records in the City Clerk's office. It also relies upon the charter provision as to the initiative election. The city contends that the courts cannot inquire into the sufficiency of the petition after the election has been held. Mr. Burnell cited authorities, especially of the Supreme Court, involving the attempted recall of Dist.-Atty. Fickert of San Francisco. In that decision it was held that as to the San Francisco charter provision, which is similar to that of the Los Angeles charter, the courts could not inquire into the sufficiency of the petition after the election. The Superior courts, he said, have no power to go into that. Ordinances similar in character have been upheld time after time by the courts of this State and the State and United States Supreme courts.

Mr. Lowenthal held that the ordinance is invalid because it discriminates between liquor dealers and wholesale drug stores and confiscates their property. The city has no power to prohibit the sale of liquor, but only the power to regulate it, he held.

Arguments in the injunction suit of Ellerkamp & Sesma, East Fifth-street saloon-keepers, against the Gandier anti-saloon law, which is scheduled to go into effect tomorrow night at midnight, will be heard by Federal Judge Bledsoe today.

The plaintiffs in the action contend that no State has a right to modify or destroy any corporate right protected by treaty compacts to which the government of the United States was a party; that the issuance of the original charter of the city, investing in the Mayor and Council jurisdictional authority over the same is in direct contravention to the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. The suit in substance is the same as was partially heard before Superior Judge Jackson recently.

TRADE-MARK SUITS.

A suit to enjoin the Fullerton Mutual Orange Association and the National Fruit Exchange from shipping, marketing or selling oranges under the trade-mark labels known as Shamrock, Caledonia and Albion, was filed by the Placentia Mutual Orange Association yesterday. These trade-marks are alleged to have been patented by the Placentia, which asks $5000 damages for their use by the defendant companies.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE CALLED SO-CALLED.

CITY EMPLOYEES' BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION MAKES A FEW REMARKS.

The City Employees' Benevolent and Protective Association, in a communication read to the Council yesterday, fired a few broadsides at the Municipal League, the criticism being caused by the league's opposition to the proposed municipal pension system. The communication was referred to the Public Welfare Committee, which is attempting to work out a pension plan.

The communication, signed by Robert T. Hale, president of the association, refers to the members of the league as meddlers. "This so-called resolution from this self-styled Municipal League, and self-appointed guardians of our local government shows an utter lack of appreciation of the work our city employees are doing," the communication read, "and also makes it evident that this so-called league is not only not in sympathy with city employees but is strenuously opposed to them.

"As a body of faithful, honest and hard-working employees of this city, we desire to protest against the unmitigated gall and impudence of a few sophisticated dabblers who desire to control and direct the movements of your body and who are seeking in all matters to defeat the will of the people and to gain for themselves a Kaiser control upon our city government."

HOG RAISERS NOT TO GET GARBAGE.

An attempt to have the garbage ordinance amended so as to permit hauling of garbage through the streets in private vehicles, was foiled yesterday by the Council when the matter was ordered filed. The agitation was instituted by persons interested in the sale of garbage to hog raisers. The City Attorney said the proposed amendment would violate the terms of the contract with the Pacific Reduction Company.

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Smart black straw hats are here, with the newest innovations in various trimmings. Many models reflect the decided military influence in their unique designs; the poke bonnet is again good; the bee-hive crown, with mushroom brim—the high side brim against the crown; the large sailor, with a slightly-rolling saucy brim; turbans in various colors, garnished with trimmings suited to the different materials and shapes—all are high in fashion's Spring favor.

The tailored hat of milan and lisere straw is being shown as a great favorite, and in contour shows greater smartness than in previous seasons.

Will you make a special visit to see these, and others just as lovely?

(Millinery; Third Floor)

Easter Dresses of Unusual Beauty, Fairly Priced

Dresses that will grace the Easter promenade, at little expenditure.

Some are beaded, touched with embroidery in light and dark beads; some are of all-Georgette, others combined with satin; and they are shown in tan, flesh, rose, gray, tea rose, coral, Copen and taupe, from $25 to $67.50

Figured Georgettes—in delicate shades of tan, Copens, black and white stripes—$59.50 to $87.50.

Excellent Dresses—in crepe de chine and taffeta in black, navy, Copen, rose, tan and gray, daintily embroidered or button trimmed—$22.50 and $25.00

(Garments; Third Floor)

Men's Wear for Easter

Easter Neckwear—a selection to satisfy any man's taste, in light, medium and dark tones—50c to $3.00.

Spring Shirts

Patterns that will appeal to the taste of any man who likes distinction and individuality in his shirts.

Soft-cuff shirts in printed and woven madras, crepe and the finest silk crepes and silk weaves.

For Men With Long Arms—we have stiff-cuff shirts with sleeve lengths of 36 and 37 inches; we can fit you!

Good shirts at.....$1.50 to $10.00

(Men's Furnishings; Main Floor)

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35-inch Black Jacquard Chiffon Taffeta; an imported silk selling regularly at $4.00 a yard, in the sale at, yard.....$2.95

40-inch Black Sports Silk; regularly $5.00, yard.....$4.50

40-inch Crepe Meteor; regularly $3.50, yard.....$3.15

40-inch Crepe de Chine; regularly $3.00, yard.....$2.50

72-inch Black Silk Jersey; regularly $4.50, yard.....$4.00

41-inch Satin Sublime; regularly $5.50, yard.....$5.00

40-inch Satin Charmeuse; regularly $5.00, yard.....$4.50

The Sale of Colored Chiffon Broadcloths, regularly priced at $4.50 a yard, continues at.....$3.55

(Silks; Woolens; Second Floor)

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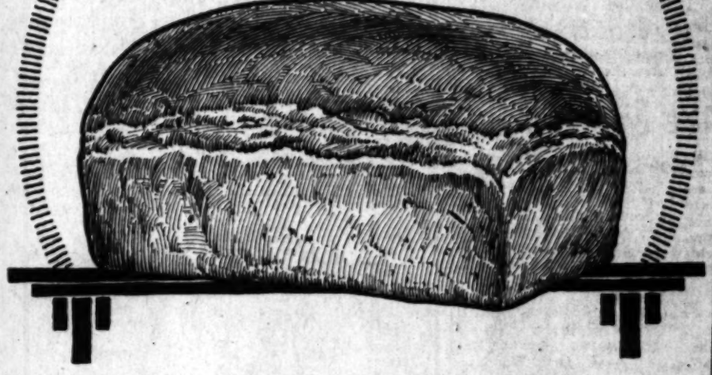

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...Arlington—4:59, 5:04, 5:14, 5:19 a.m.
...Moss Drive—4:50, 5:04 a.m.
...Live Oak—5:19 a.m.
...Manchester & Moneta—4:52, 5:00, 5:08, 5:18, 5:22a.m.
...84th St. and 1st Ave.—4:56, 5:04 and 5:13 a.m.
...Cemeteries—5:06 a.m.
...16th and Gramercy—5:24, 5:29 a.m.
...61st and Moneta—5:02, 5:23 a.m.
...Hoover St.—5:08 a.m.
...39th and Western—5:06, 5:28 a.m.
...Manchester and Vermont—5:06 a.m.
...Melrose—5:05, 5:24 a.m.
...Pico and Sprague—4:46, 5:09 a.m.
...Fourth Ave.—5:05, 5:20 a.m.
...Rimpau Ave.—4:54, 5:00, 5:24 a.m.
...Montclair—5:14, 5:29 a.m.
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Sentous Conspicuous by His Absence.

BY JAMES DE CAMP.

Forty-seven perspiring spectators, a fearless representative of the press and one vivacious bulldog passed a warm and uncomfortable afternoon on Hollywood Field yesterday, the Poly High and Hollywood track squads tagging languidly around the oval at irregular and infrequent intervals in a futile effort to lend variety to the protracted sun bath of the audience. Oozing surplus winter avoirdupois from every pore, the Foothill spikesters suffered an annihilation comparable to the chastisement of the Huns at Verdun, the fatal statistics from the information bureaus of both combatting forces recording a 70½ to 40½ triumph for the Poly forces.

The Foothillers lit out quite bravely by grabbing all the places in the half-mile, causing the fair sideliners to squeal forth their approval in a falsetto calculated to make the Mechanics hie for home. But, just to prove that they didn't give a whoop for nine tallies the Polyites snapped back by taking first, second and third in the high hurdles and beginning a drive for points that demoralized the attack of the boys in the red and white panties.

Robinson, Thompson and Pierce of Poly whisked through the 440 without even pausing to pass the time of day with their laboring rivals. By this time the adding machines were beginning to get gummed up and before repairs could be made Hollywood had slipped over a second in the shot and collared half a point in the pole vault. The absence of Prof. Sentous, the weight expert who puts the shot according to the most involved laws of physics and the lever, deprived the Foothillers of a first in the heaving event. Sentous deserted the meet for a free trip to Long Beach with the Foothill baseball nine. When last heard from he was reported to be sitting on the seashore composing an original poem to the undertow.

The summary:

Half-mile run: Won by Barnhart (H.); Payne (H.) second, Gorman (H.) third. Time 2m. 10s.

100-yard dash: Won by Schiller (P.); Hamilton (H.) second, Jones (P.) third. Time 10 2-5s.

220-yard high hurdles: Won by Jones (P.); Taylor (P.) second, Green (P.) third. Time 16 1-5s.

440-yard dash: Won by Robinson (P.); Thompson (P.) second, Pierce (P.) third. Time 55 2-5s.

Shot put: Won by Hartman (P.); Kincaid (H.) second, Krohald (P.) third. Distance 40ft. 7in.

Pole vault: Won by Chapman (P.); Albright (P.) second, McDowell (H.) and Cox (P.) tied for third. Height 10ft. 6in.

220-yard dash: Won by Schiller (P.); Thornton (H.) second, Ayers (H.) third. Time 23s. flat.

220-yard low hurdles: Won by Jones (P.); Taylor (P.) second, Green (P.) third. Time 28s. flat.

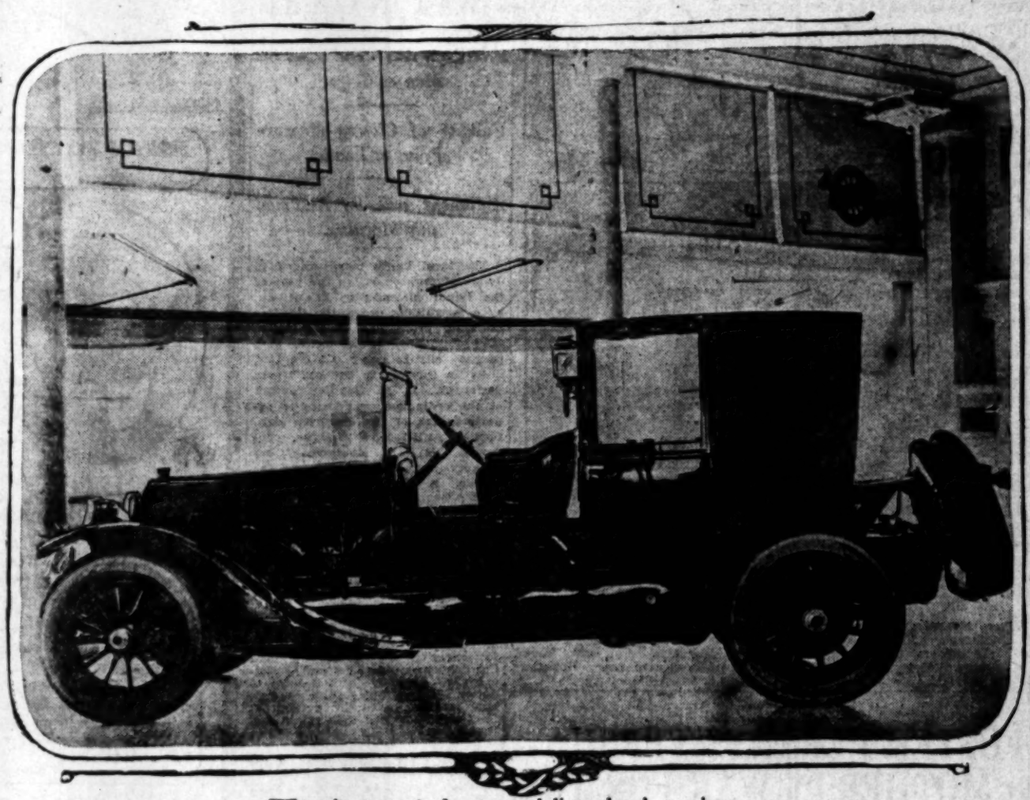
Mile run: Won by Barnhart (H.); Cox (P.) second, Ellsworth (H.) third. Time 5m. 13 2-5s.

Discus throw: Won by Hartman (P.); Enders (H.) second, Bertauch (H.) third. Distance 104ft. 10in.

High jump: Won by Sanders (H.); Morrison (H.) second, Wayahn (H.) third. Height 5ft. 6in.

Broad jump: Won by Schiller (P.); Schiffer (P.) second, Lohman (H.) third. Distance 20ft. 10in.

Relay (one mile, 4-man): Won by Poly.



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This is one of the beautiful custom-built models being shown at the Locomobile establishment this week. It is a town car designed and built at the Locomobile factory by De Causse, one of the most famous continental body designers in the days before the great war and since 1914 connected with the Bridgeport factory. Five of these special bodies and a chassis will be on exhibition until Saturday of this week, when they will be shipped to San Francisco. Anyone not seeing these cars is missing a wonderful treat.

BILL ESSICK CHOPS OFF SIX HEADS.

Manager Bill Essick of the Vernon club unlimbered his well-known executive shears yesterday afternoon and eliminated six luckless Yannigans from the pay roll, thereby slicing his squad down to the prescribed eighteen-player limit. The dismissed performers are Moran, Bidwell, Haney, Alley, Hesse and McKay.

The Tigers will train at Vernon until the opening of the season, leaving Washington Park clear for the Angels. Saturday and Sunday practice games with a Camp Kearny team will be held at Vernon.

BALTIMORE TURNS DOWN BIG FIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) March 28.—On the ground that public opinion in this city was against the holding of a heavyweight prize fight here, the police board today declined to issue a permit for the proposed Willard-Fulton championship bout, for which application had been made earlier in the day by James Jung, a local sporting man.

SEALS WINNERS ON SAN JOSE DIAMOND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN JOSE, March 28.—The San Francisco Seals defeated the San Jose Athletics here today by a 7 to 2 score. Phillips and Dobbs pitched for San Francisco and Brooks and McKee caught.

"COMISH" AWARDS LEE TO BEAVERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI, March 28.—The National Baseball Commission today awarded the services of Player Cliff Lee to the Portland team. The case was brought up by the Cleveland American League team, but Cleveland admitted it would probably turn Lee back to the minors if the claim was allowed, and in a statement to the commission admitted that the Portland club had probably established "the strongest moral right to the player."

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TRUCK IS SMASHING FREIGHT TRAIN TIME.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STOCKTON, March 28.—With more than half of its difficult journey at an end and with victory only three days away, the Moreland "flyer," now en route from San Diego to Sacramento, arrived here this morning at 11:35 o'clock. The run was made from Fresno, the truck being officially checked out at the Record Building.

"Already the freight train schedules have been completely shattered by the Moreland truck. By the time it reaches its destination, Sacramento, the amount of time taken for loading, unloading and shipping to the various cities visited by the Moreland, will be at least forty-eight hours ahead of that of the railroad. In other words, the motor truck has solved the present freight congestion problem and the introduction of a permanent motor-truck carrier system between San Diego and Sacramento, will come as no surprise to those acquainted with the advantages of such an arrangement," said Roy D. Hearts, general sales manager of the Moreland company.

Throughout the entire run the truck is carrying capacity loads. A change of load has taken place at Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Fresno and Stockton. One of the novel features of the present test is the fact that merchandise is taken aboard at the shipper's platform and delivered direct to the buyer's freight house. By the railroad system it is necessary to employ the use of a dray to and from the freight yards for each load.

Only fourteen gallons of distillate and two quarts of oil were consumed on today's trip. The distance covered was 124 miles. This gives an average of eight and eighty-seven one-hundredths miles to the gallon of distillate and sixty-two miles to the quart of oil. The cost per ton mile for shipping by motor truck would therefore be 2 cents. To ship this same consignment by rail it would represent an expenditure of $13.50 freight, and $60 express. The time taken for delivery by freight train would be twenty-seven hours, thirty-five minutes.

Five thousand pounds of groceries were carried, which is the property of the Pacific Coast Grocery Company. The running time of the truck was four hours and thirty-five minutes.

At 7 o'clock tomorrow morning the truck will depart for Oakland and will arrive, according to schedule time at 10:30 o'clock. The Moreland crew is composed of W. M. Ferguson and John Poplin, both of the Moreland factory.

MIDWICK GOLF CLUB.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

FIRST-ROUND match play in the Midwick Country Club's invitation golf tournament yesterday, radiant sunshine, the course in so fine a condition that even the grouchiest golfer could discover in it no alibi, and 147 players in as amiable a mood as golfers can ever attain—voila, messieurs, a day to be remembered.

No wonder the club decided to reconsider its edict anent the omission of the defeated eight flights. It couldn't be done. For the defeated were as exuberant for more golf, hope springeth anew in the human breast, as the victors, craving more worlds to conquer. Elimination! Nonsense. Nobody would consider themselves eliminated until they had met another opponent at least. So that means seven more cups, modest ones, of course, but seven more, bringing the total to twenty-three. For, dash it all, what is victory without a trophy? Gentlemen worth millions will treasure a dinky little $5 cup as a sacred mascot, evidence of a prowess that cannot be bought.

In the first flight Harold B. Lamb gently led an affrighted J. C. Williams round the course for a win of 7 up and 6. W. W. Campbell, his potential victim, this morning, snatched satisfying victory from the youthful Robert Beekman of "coming" golf prophecies by 6 up and 4. Robin Skelley, 40 out and 39 in, accounted for Arthur Letts, Jr., by 3 up and 2. Cline won his match from Schwarz by default. Conde Jones from L. W. Denison, 4 and 2. Frank Tatum had a narrow escape of succumbing to the eighteen-handicap hero of the qualifying round, Dr. C. D. Wright, and only just beat him for his credit's sake up and 1. R. J. Cash won from Kelinberger by default, and Robin Hayne, beaming and wagerful, beat J. C. Niven 3 and 2 just because he had missed the point of two good jokes.

SECOND FLIGHT.

In the second flight Lee Collins beat J. S. Mather, 2 up, and plays A. D. S. Johnstone today. And A. D. S. Johnstone, be it observed is no longer a champion off his game, but lived up to his 2 handicap in the defeat of J. T. Gilmer, 2 up and 1, although that gentleman swanked home with a dashing 35 for the last nine. E. B. Robinson defeated W. J. Bowman, 4 and 3. S. Beekman kept the family golf flag flying with a victory over Thomas McCall by 5 up and 4. S. W. Forsman, fondly known as "Bud," carried the steady impervious L. W. Shirley to the twentieth hole, showing off with four holes under par in the last half. W. K. Parkinson beat E. N. T. Burnett, either 1 up or 2 up, a little matter of lifting a ball in rough ground awaiting adjustment. Mr. Parkinson is some hero, let us whisper in parenthesis, for he, alone and unaided, took nine ladies out to dine the previous evening and obviously still kept his head. A. C. Twist beat F. P. Carpenter, 4 and 3, and F. B. Browning won his match by default from Rev. W. H. Cornett, who being still a bridegroom, is not so faithful to the golf siren as of old.

THIRD FLIGHT.

In the third flight Llewellyn Bixby beat C. G. Twist, 5 and 4. Marion Gray won from Col. Steele by default. H. S. Robinson beat E. G. Richardson, 1 up. G. A. Weber won from J. S. Hunt by default. I. L. Merrill beat F. G. Allen, 2 up. W. F. Harper won from A. B. Barret by default. Spencer Smith had M. G. Frampton on toast, 6 up and 5. P. H. Gilcrest retired Roy Tufts to the defeated eights by 2 and 1.

In the fourth flight Lee Phillips won from W. D. Scmidt by default. R. E. Reid beat F. D. Wilkerson 1 up. F. Carlisle accounted for Leroy Linnard, 4 and 3. Robert Neustadt won by default from A. C. Sellery and E. R. Gamble in the same unexciting way from E. W. Nixon. As did also Owen Moore from Dr. Story. J. H. Avery beat A. S. Rendall, 2 and 2, and J. A. Rankin beat J. K. Urmston, 2 and 1

In the fifth flight A. M. Andrews won from L. C. Babcock, 4 and 2. F. A. Werner from A. M. Gamble, 3 and 2. J. L. Preston from G. O. Noble, 5 and 4. A. J. Agnew from H. S. Dudley, 1 up in 19. Mr. Dudley is a comparatively new player and owns a pretty wife and an incomparable baby.

F. B. Lindsley won from Bert Farrow, 5 and 3. Richard McCarthy from F. S. Routledge, 3 and 2. A. J. Sweet from G. B. Kirker, 3 and 2, and J. S. Aborn from M. E. Joslyn, 4 and 3. Mr. Aborn had been talking about the weight of years before that victory, but he shed his tens and was merrily humming, "The flowers that bloom in the spring, tra la," when last heard from.

DR. HUGHES'S PLAY.

Dr. West Hughes had to go to the nineteenth hole to beat G. W. Weber in the sixth flight. W. W. Comstock won from Holmes by default. L. Wallace defeated C. B. Gedney 1 up. S. C. Munoz beat A. Smith, 4 and 2. M. S. Severance won by default from H. H. Hammond. Phillip Wiseman beat O. A. Leach, 5 and 4. Dr. E. R. Campbell beat T. Coffin, 4 and 3, and C. W. Chase won by default from Frank Blair.

In the seventh flight, J. M. Walker, hero of the Annandale qualifying round, had modestly reverted to type, but defeated F. A. Keith 1 up. But a really palpitating victory was that of C. Y. Knight, of the Knight engine fame, who, in his very first tournament beat F. H. Richardson 4 and 3, nothwithstanding a temperamental 8 at the first hole, and would have beaten him 1 up, playing without his handicap. A 25-handicap man, if you please, and he came in the last nine with 44. And after this, he will ask to be excused from being introduced to gentlemen who play below Class A. W. G. Hunt won from M. Abernethy by default. W. B. Floyd defeated K. E. Van Buren 1 up. W. E. Reis won from Ford Sterling by default. A. Shaw beat H. E. Stayton 3 and 2. F. E. Farnsworth won from G. P. Doan by default and J. B. Callery beat W. McWilliams in the morning 7 and 5, and flushed with victory, played his second round and can-played Farnsworth 4 and 3.

PREP BASEBALL.

STANDINGS.

Team—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
Polytechnic	2	0	1.000
Manual Arts	2	0	1.000
Long Beach	2	0	1.000
Pasadena	1	0	1.000
Whittier	1	1	.500
Jefferson	0	2	.000
Los Angeles	0	2	.000
Hollywood	0	2	.000
Lincoln	0	1	.000

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	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	3	4	4
Long Beach	10	9	2

Batteries for Hollywood, Weller and Packman; for Long Beach, Schall and J. Lawson.

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Whittier	3	9	2

Batteries for L. A., Woodward and Keller; for Whittier, Harris and Lucksdorf.

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Poly	7	7	2

Batteries for Poly, White, Sullivan and Johnson; for Jefferson, Howe, Swearingen and Settles.

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Lincoln	3	5	7

Batteries for Lincoln, Lorenz and McMullen; for Manual Arts, G. Loynd and M. Loynd.

Training.

TIGERS BRACE UP AND WIN

Essick's Men Defeat Reserves Six to Four.

Looks Blue for Vernon at Start of Game.

Sea Dogs Hit Frommo for the Opener.

BY EDWIN F. O'HARE.

Bill Essick called his [illegible] together yesterday afternoon [illegible] the game with the Navy [illegible] at Washington Park and [illegible] to cut out the unhevs[illegible] result was a complete [illegible] form, Vernon winning by a [illegible] 6 to 4. It looked pretty [illegible] Darmody's minions in the [illegible] ning when the sea dogs [illegible] Artie Frommo for a [illegible] tallies.

Artie's curves played [illegible] of didoes with him, most [illegible] spinning into a solid [illegible] visitor's bats. With [illegible] single, however, the [illegible] and after that Frommo [illegible] of the situation at all [illegible] relieved the veteran [illegible] of the game and was [illegible] fective as Art.

Lefty Meyer started to [illegible] over for the Jackies and [illegible] he did. About the only [illegible] could have found the [illegible] have advertised for it in the [illegible] After a generosity [illegible] the way of local free [illegible] he was given the hook and [illegible] old boy, substituted. [illegible] had been done, however, [illegible] game put away in cold [illegible] the locals. The tearful [illegible] low:

SHAFER SINGLES.

Ley out, Frommo to [illegible] Shafer singled infield. [illegible] Boeckel hit a grounder to [illegible] who threw to Hosp, [illegible] dropped the ball. [illegible] Wilson was out Mitchell to [illegible] both runners advancing [illegible] singled to center, putting [illegible] Boeckel over the rubber [illegible] second on the throw to [illegible] singled to left, scoring [illegible] was caught between first [illegible] ond, Frommo to Mathes [illegible] to Mathes. Four Frommo [illegible] hits.

For Vernon, Chadbourne [illegible] Mitchell walked. Mathes [illegible] center, filling the [illegible] ambled, forcing over [illegible] Long dittoed, forcing [illegible] Wisterzil singled to [illegible] Mathes and Daley, [illegible] forced Wisterzil at [illegible] to Davis. Hosp shot [illegible] scoring Long. Frommo [illegible] Shafer. Chadbourne [illegible] runs and three hits. [illegible] never threatened the [illegible] after.

VERNON GAME.

The Angeles blew in [illegible] Diego last evening [illegible] fidence in regard to the [illegible] week with the Bees. [illegible] the Washington Park [illegible] now until the season [illegible] Tuesday. Chief Jamieson [illegible] only member of the [illegible] dropped. Sam Crawford [illegible] signed several days ago [illegible] hand and practice with [illegible] mates. As he has been [illegible] hereabouts for some [illegible] ready to go in at once [illegible] down the right garden [illegible] will play no teams until [illegible] becomes [illegible]

Vernon plays the [illegible] Division nine at the [illegible] park tomorrow and [illegible] games will be called at [illegible]

The score:

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Ley, cf	[illegible]					
Shafer, 2b						
Pasty, ss						
Boeckel, 3b						
Wilson, rf						
Hillman, 1f						
Spravlevde, c						
Bennighausen, c						
Anhelt, 1b						
Meyers, p						
Grimes, p						
Totals	30					

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Fischer, rf						
Daley, lf						
Long, c						
Wisterzil, 2b						
De Vormer, c						
Hosp, 2b						
Frommo, p						
Check, p						
Totals	31					

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Navy										
Base hits										
Vernon										
Base hits										

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Wilson, Vernon. Chadbourne. Struck out—By Frommo, 1; Evans, 1; Meyers, 3; of Grimes, 2. Base on balls—Off Frommo, 2; Check, 1; Meyers, 1; Grimes, 2. Passed balls—Long to Mathes, 2; Wisterzil, Daley. Umpires—Hildebrand of game—1h. 50m.

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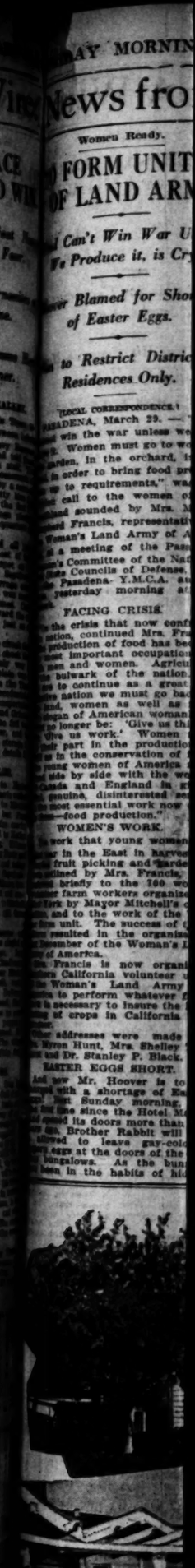

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Sea Dogs Hit Fromme Ha... for the Opener.

BY EDWIN F. O'MALLEY.

Bill Essick called his Tigers to... gether yesterday afternoon before... the game with the Navy Reserves... at Washington Park and told them... to cut out the unhewn stuff. The... result was a complete somersault in... form, Vernon winning by a score of... 6 to 4. It looked pretty blue for... Darmody's minions in the first... ning when the sea dogs pounded... Artie Fromme for a quartette of... tallies.

Artie's curves played all kinds... of didoes with him, most of them... spinning into a solid spot on the... visitor's bats. With Sepulveda... single, however, the barrage ceased... and after that Fromme was master... of the situation at all times. He... relieved the veteran toward the end... of the game and was just as effective as Art.

Lefty Meyer started to chuck the... over for the Jackies and chuck them... he did. About the only way he... could have found the plate was to... have advertised for it in the Times. After a generosity unprecedented in... the way of local free transportation... he was given the hook and Grimes, old boy, substituted. The fat was... had been done, however, and the... game put away in cold storage for... the locals. The tearful details follow:

SHAFER SINGLES.

Lay out, Fromme to Mathes. Shafer singled infield. Davis walked. Boeckel hit a grounder to Mitchell, who threw to Hosp, but Fromme dropped the ball, Shafer scoring. Wilson was out Mitchell to Mathes, both runners advancing. Hillman singled to center, putting Davis across. Boeckel over the rubber and Hillman second on the throw in. Sepulveda singled to left, scoring Hillman, but was caught between first and second, Fromme to Mathes, to Mitchell to Mathes. Four runs and five hits.

For Vernon, Chadbourne struck out, Mitchell walked, Mathes singled to center, filling the bags. Daly ambled, forcing over Chadbourne. Long dittoed, forcing over Mitchell. Wisterzil singled to left, scoring Mathes and Daley. DeVormer forced Wisterzil at second, Shafer to Davis. Hosp shot one to center, scoring Long. Fromme popped to Shafer. Chadbourne fanned. Four runs and three hits. The visitors never threatened the plate thereafter.

VERNON GAMES.

The Angeles blew in from San Diego last evening chock-full of confidence in regard to the series next week with the Bees. They will play the Washington Park grounds from now until the season opens next Tuesday. Chief Jamison will be the only member of the team that has dropped. Sam Crawford, who signed several days ago, will be on hand and practice with his mates. As he has been in business hereabouts for some time, he is ready to go in at once and help down the right garden. The Ansonia will play no teams until the series begins.

Vernon plays the Army Training Division nine at the Vernon park tomorrow and Sunday. Both games will be called at 2:30 o'clock. The score:

NAVY.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.
Lay, cf	4	1	1	0	1
Shafer, 2b	4	1	1	0	1
Davis, ss	4	0	0	0	1
Boeckel, 3b	4	0	1	0	1
Wilson, rf	4	0	0	0	1
Hillman, lf	4	1	1	0	1
Sepulveda, c	3	0	1	0	6
Essick, 1b	3	0	0	0	9
Grimes, p	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	6	0	21

VERNON.

	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.
Chadbourne, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Mitchell, 1b	4	1	1	11	0
Mathes, 2b	4	1	1	2	3
Daly, 3b	4	0	0	1	2
DeVormer, c	4	0	0	5	0
Hosp, ss	4	1	1	1	3
Wisterzil, lf	4	0	1	1	0
Fromme, p	3	1	0	0	2
Cheek, p	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	4	22	10

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Navy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Base hits	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	6
Vernon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Wilson, Wisterzil. Sacrifice hits—Chadbourne, Hosp. Struck out—By Fromme, 1; Essick, 2; Grimes, 3; Cheek, 2. Bases on balls—Off Fromme, 1; Grimes, 2; Cheek, 1. Left on bases—Navy, 5; Vernon, 5. Passed ball—DeVormer. Wild pitch—Fromme. Time of game—1h. 50m. Umpires—Ware and Hart.

ALEXANDER PERFORMS WELL; OAKS BEATEN

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Grover Cleveland Alexander, the pitching prince of the Northern League, was on exhibition today at Oakland. The Oaks lost the game, 4 to 0. The best hurling of the National League stars in the game for the Cubs today, and he acted just as if they liked to play baseball. Killefer is full of pep all the time, and Alex goes strictly to business, with no monkeying-picture stuff to attract attention, with the result that the Oaks were whipped and on their way to the fodder in mighty short order. Joe Kremer opened for the Oaks, although he was found for two runs, it was errors by Hack Miller and Mensor that had most to do with scoring, and crabbed the game.

M'CREDIE'S BEES IN GOOD CONDITION

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, March 29.—After one period of work was given the Salt Lakers today, and that was largely devoted to sliding practice and a spirited round of fungo batting between the Yannigans and the Regulars to close the afternoon's work. Most of the men are scheduled to start the season on the pink of condition, and, with the exception already imposed on the pitchers as the result of an accident, McCredie is taking no chances on ...luck.

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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, March 29. — "Food will win the war unless we produce it. Women must go to work in the fields, in the orchard, in the garden in order to bring food products up to requirements," was the appeal to the women of the city sounded by Mrs. Myrtle Mason Francis, representative of the Women's Land Army of America, at a meeting of the Pasadena Women's Committee of the National Defense Council of Pasadena, held in the Pasadena Y.M.C.A. auditorium yesterday morning at 10 o'clock.

FACING CRISIS.

"We are facing a crisis that now confronts us," continued Mrs. Francis, "and production of food has become the most important occupation for women and women. Agriculture is the stalwart of the nation. If we are to continue as a great and powerful nation we must go back to the land—women as well as men. The call of American womanhood is no longer be: 'Give us things,' but 'Give us work.' Women must take part in the production as well as in the conservation of food. Thousands of women of America must stand side by side with the women of France and England in giving unselfish, disinterested service to the essential work now open for food production."

WOMEN'S WORK.

Work that young women did in the East in harvesting, fruit picking and gardening was described by Mrs. Francis, who said that to the 700 women and farm workers organized in Pasadena by Mayor Mitchell's command to the work of the Vassar unit. The success of these women enabled in the organization of the Woman's Land Army of America.

Mrs. Francis is now organizing the California volunteer units of the Woman's Land Army of America to perform whatever farm work is necessary to insure the harvesting of crops in California this year.

Addresses were made by Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Shelley Tolman and Dr. Stanley P. Black.

BEER EGGS SHORT.

Herbert Mr. Hoover is to be ... with a shortage of Easter eggs Sunday morning, for ever since the Hotel Maryland ... its doors more than ten years ... Brother Rabbit will not ... to leave gay-colored eggs at the doors of the various ... As the bunnies are in the habits of hiding seventy-five dozen hard-boiled eggs in the Maryland grounds every Easter, and since these dyed eggs cannot be eaten after they have served their decorative purposes, Manager Charles Moore of the Maryland yesterday put the ban on the usual Eastern stunt, so the kiddies who have always awakened early on Easter morning and have hurried forth and with eager eyes sought for the bunny eggs, will have to be content with the candied variety this year, for the Food Administration doesn't allow sentiment to hinder the conservation of the food supply.

TO RESTRICT DISTRICT.

Backed up by a petition signed by more than 75 per cent. of the residents of Orange Grove avenue, the City Commissioner yesterday passed at the first reading an ordinance creating the South Orange Grove-avenue district and making it unlawful for flats, hotels, sanatoriums, theaters and even two-family dwellings to be erected therein. The district thus created comprises that section of the avenue included between Colorado and Columbia streets and within 200 feet of the property line on both sides. The petition, which bore the names of almost every resident along the section set out in the ordinance, was presented to the Commissioners some time ago and was given a final hearing yesterday, when, there being no objections, the ordinance restricting this district was adopted by a unanimous vote. A maximum fine of $500 and six months' imprisonment are the punishment for a violation of the ordinance.

Another lot thirty fine old opium bowls for flowers, and plenty of stands, just opened at Grace Nicholson's Famous Pasadena Shop.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

SCHOOL GIRLS RAISING HOGS.

Fattening Porkers Faster than the Boys in Competing Clubs.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BRAWLEY, March 28.—Half a dozen pretty Brawley and Westmoreland school girls are showing the male population how to raise hogs.

Doris Darnell and Pearl Weaver, Brawley High School misses, are each raising three pigs in the pig club competition which closes April 18. In the district outside of this city city, Dora Chamers is raising two pigs, Grace Biles three Duroc-Jerseys, Doris Leach of Westmoreland three, and Lillian Seymour two pigs.

These girls have taken on themselves the entire care and feeding of the pigs, and have all had great success. The average weight gain of their pigs exceeds that of the pigs raised by the boys of the several schools.

LETTER OF THANKS FROM GEN. PERSHING.

APPRECIATES DOZEN KNITTED SOCKS FROM LONG BEACH RED CROSS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, March 28.—Mrs. A. L. Campbell, secretary of the Long Beach Chapter of the American Red Cross, today received a highly-valued treasure in the form of a letter, in his own handwriting, from Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American overseas forces. Gen. Pershing wrote to Mrs. Campbell acknowledging the receipt of a dozen pair of woolen knitted socks, and thanking the local chapter for their consideration and thoughtfulness.

The club of women who knitted the socks for the American commander, strangely enough, was known as the German Club of Long Beach before the war.

CHANGED NAME.

The club was organized for the purpose of sociability and also for the purpose of studying the German language. When war was declared on Germany by the United States the study of German was stopped, and the German Club immediately became a Red Cross Auxiliary and started an extensive knitting-for-soldiers campaign.

The club, before the war, was more often known as "Das Froelliche Dutzen," meaning the "Merry Dozen."

SUNRISE SERVICE.

Long Beach will hold its third annual sunrise Easter observance Sunday morning on Signal Hill, overlooking the city and surrounding country.

The exercises will include an opening prayer by the Rev. George D. Knights, pastor of the First Baptist Church; a reading, "God of the Open Air," by Prof. J. Nattkemper of the Polytechnic high school; a cornet solo by R. Mitchell, and several other musical numbers.

STILL ACTIVE.

Long Beach police are this afternoon investigating the report that a woman is canvassing the east end of the city endeavoring to sell Pastor Russell's condemned book, "The Finished Mystery."

The drug user who a few weeks ago entered a local pharmacy and escaped with the supply of morphine after holding up the proprietor with a revolver, today repeated his performance at another store and secured a large quantity of the drug in a similar manner. The description of the man tallies in each instance.

FARM BUREAU AIDS IN SALE OF HOGS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, March 27.—Reports of the second stock sale to be held under the direction of the Visalia Federal Farm Bureau shows that pork is nearly $1.50 per hundred higher in price than a month ago. The top price paid for butcher weight pigs was $16.95, as against $15.60 last month.

Pork to the total value of about $20,000 was sold during the sale to agents for packing concerns. The direct dealing made possible by the auction is estimated to have saved the ranchers about $500.

SAW TORPEDO HIT TUSCANIA.

Santa Ana Boy on Board Destroyer Witnessed Grim Sea Tragedy.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, March 27.—Edgar Tedford, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tedford of Santa Ana, was aboard a United States destroyer that was but a few rods from the Tuscania when that ship was struck by a torpedo.

"The Tuscania was fifty yards off our bow," writes Tedford, "when she was struck. We swung out to our starboard to avoid ramming her. I saw her get hit, for I was on watch on the bridge at the time and was looking right at her."

STOREKEEPER FACES CHARGE OF MURDER.

BLOOD-STAINED TROUSERS ARE INTRODUCED BY STATE AS PRINCIPAL EVIDENCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL CENTRO, March 28.—Trousers stained with a dark substance, which Dist.-Atty. Nichols said was blood, were introduced in evidence today in the trial of "Bill" Bailey, proprietor of the general store at Rockwood, accused of the killing of Dan Densemer, a rancher, on December 15. Attorneys Conkling and Brown, for the defendant, will try to prove that the substance on Bailey's trousers was catsup, accidentally spilled by the defendant on the day of the murder. Microscopic examination of the stains will be made by the State.

Bailey, in October, 1916, killed a patron of his store with a scale weight. They were alone in the store, it is said, and Bailey was exonerated on a plea of self-defense. Gensemer leased forty acres near Rockwood, and was about to begin shipment of his crops when he was found dead in a shack near the store.

Silver Peak Ranch now open. Table reservations. Phone Pomona 902x1.—[Advertisement.

TO FIX MINIMUM PRICES TO GROWERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, March 27.—Work is now under way here for presentation to the Federal Food Administrator for California a plan for fixing a minimum price to the grower for the coming year for canning peaches.

According to the statement of some of the leading growers here, a number of the orchard men contracted some years ago to deliver peaches for canning at $25 per ton, and this is now said to be a losing game. They contend that because of the war conditions and the demand by the government for canned fruit and vegetables of all kinds, a stabilized price should be maintained.

Support of the Tulare County Canning Peach Association has been given to the price-fixing movement.

IMPERIAL LANDS SELLING RAPIDLY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WESTMORELAND, March 28.—With the exception of less than two sections, every acre of the listed Southern Pacific Railroad land in the vicinity of Calipatria and Westmoreland has been disposed of. There have been more sales made during the last four months than during the years since the war started. The fact that practically all of the sales mean immediate improvement, indicates that the transfers mean the development of thousands of acres into producing farm land, with a view to aiding in winning the war.

EXPLOSIVE LICENSE LAW IS VIOLATED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, March 27.—Federal agents have completed a tour of the Porterville district, in the course of which they found thirty persons who had explosives in their possession and no license for their purchase had been issued.

All those who had violated the law in this regard were severely lectured and the licenses issued to them. Edward F. Halbert, the local explosives agent, has been authorized to state that hereafter no leniency will be shown, and any violation or evasion of the law will be severely punished.

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BAR WASHING EGGS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TULARE, March 27.—Soiled eggs are at a premium. According to instructions which have been sent to the Tulare Co-operative Poultry Association, the Federal government is discouraging the practice of washing eggs, the statement being made that the egg in its natural state, even if slightly dirty or discolored, keeps much better than those which have been cleansed. Owing to the shortage of all foodstuffs, the government bulletin states, every effort must be made to conserve all poultry products.

TEST OIL FIELD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OJAI, March 26.—Oil prospecting in Big Canyon, near here, began by the Pennsylvanian Oil Company in 1875 and abandoned, will begin again, this time under the Doheny interests. The hole put down by the Pennsylvania company obtained a showing of oil but not enough for commercial purposes. Doheny has now acquired the property and is putting down a deep well which will thoroughly test out that field, one of the oldest oil prospects in the county.

RED CROSS CHAPTER MAKES BIG RECORD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, March 28. — The Claremont chapter of the Red Cross is still maintaining its phenomenal record as a live organization, as evidenced by its prompt response to the special call of last week for donations of clothes to be sent to the French refugees. Two large boxes of garments were sent up to New York, there being over 175 men's and women's suits and coats in good repair. This shipment follows the sending of over 3200 articles to French refugees since last November. In addition to this record, 430 knitted garments have been turned out since the first of the year, and last week there was shipped from local headquarters to San Francisco the last of Claremont's quota of 250 property bags.

The surgical dressings and hospital garments branches have likewise sent off several large cases of supplies during February and March. The Claremont Red Cross is proving itself one of the most efficient organizations of its kind.

COMPANY SUES TO EJECT FISHERMAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, March 28.—Charles Erickson is defendant in an ejection suit brought by the Santa Cruz Island Company to prevent him squatting on the island tidelands. Many fishermen of this city, San Pedro and other ports are interested. Erickson will shortly file damage suit against the company for the loss of his cabin and other property. The fishermen claim the right to the tidelands on the island as part of the public domain, and also set up the claim that under the grant by which the company owns the island the company, otherwise the Cairs estate of San Francisco, is limited in ownership to a certain number of acres, which does not include, they say, the entire island. Erickson's ejectment from the island is said to have had sensational features.

NEW RAMONA ACRES WEEKLY MAKES BOW.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONTEREY PARK, March 28.—Tomorrow morning the Ramona Acres Progress, an eight-page, seven-column weekly newspaper will make its initial bow to the residents of Monterey Park, Wilmar, Ramona Acres and Garvalia. From the mechanical make-up and editorial point of view the new journal gives promise of a wide usefulness. Its field embraces a prosperous district in which fully 4000 persons have their homes and from the complete manner in which the news of this field is covered in the first issue it is evident that the editorial department is in experienced hands.

The office of the Progress is temporarily located at No. 2420 Garfield avenue, but negotiations are in progress for the purchase of a suitable building in which to house the new journal. The Progress will be issued every Friday morning.

PIG CLUBS FORMED.

Twenty-five Pure Blood Poland Chinas Distributed Among San Fernando School Children.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN FERNANDO, March 28.—Mr. Raymond Schoeffel, in charge of the agricultural work of the elementary schools of San Fernando Valley, made his third trip today to the Anita Baldwin ranch in the interests of the school pig clubs, and besides taking boys of his classes for inspection of the ranch will bring back a lot of twenty-five young pure blood Poland China pigs for distribution among the boys entering the pig contests.

Every one of these animals is already spoken for and more will later be obtained through the generous offer of the Baldwin ranch management in asking only a nominal price in order to further this patriotic work of pork production. With Mr. Schoeffel today were Mr. Roy Merrick of the Van Nuys agricultural department, and Mr. Dan Clower, head of the San Fernando High School agricultural work and in charge of the big tractor school to be given here, beginning April 1. Each man drove a machine in addition to a truck, all to be filled with pigs and boys on the return trip.

BIRTHDAY BEER IS CONFISCATED.

Macaroni is Dropped from Menu at Suggestion of Food Director.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, March 28.—Plans for a big birthday spread for Signor Cosimo Caneill, leader of the Santa Monica Municipal Band, had to be radically changed at the last moment because of the action of the police and the United States Food Administration authorities.

The director's friends had ordered four cases of beer from a Venice grocer. When this wet goods came over the line into dry Santa Monica it was confiscated by the police. A quantity of macaroni that was to have been one of the mainstays of the feast was already in course of preparation. This came to the ears of the Food Administration officials. As this dish is frowned upon as an evening meal, under the new food regulations, a gentle hint was dropped to this effect. Signor Canelli, himself one of the most patriotic of men, ordered it banished from the menu. It will last through the rest of the week as a luncheon dish.

DAYLIGHT LAW MAY AFFECT PROCEEDINGS.

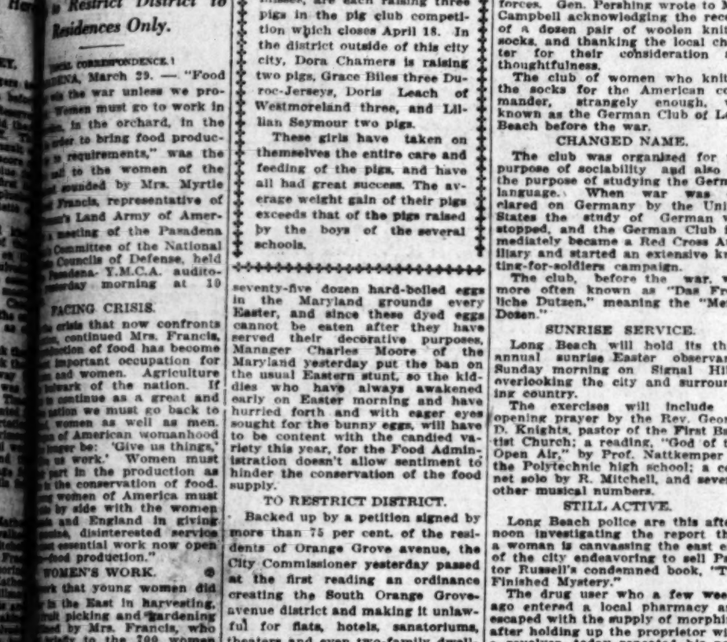
[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, March 28.—The Board of Supervisors has ordered all clocks belonging to the county set an hour ahead on Sunday morning, in conformity to the daylight saving law. The City Council failed to take similar action at its last meeting. Some city officials are wondering at what hour the Council will meet next Tuesday, inasmuch as adjournment was taken to 9 o'clock a.m., "an hour certain." If the Western Union clocks say 10 o'clock when the Council meets ostensibly at 9, it is feared that the legality of proceedings may be affected.

RANCHER FACES SPEEDING CHARGE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, March 28.—J. J. Ortego, well-known orange grower of Placentia, has been arrested on a charge of speeding fifty-eight miles an hour. Since he has to face Justice Cox, Ortega's chances of escaping a ten-day sentence in jail may be regarded as slim. In the last eighteen months no man in Cox's court convicted of speeding over fifty miles an hour has received less than ten days.



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Stocks and Bonds.

TENSION OVER BATTLE IS CHECK ON TRADING.

Steel Report and Federal Help for New Haven Line Counteract Pessimism.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Increasing tension in the war situation, coupled with tomorrow's holiday, exercised further restraints upon the stock market today, although the tone in many essentials was steady to firm.

Among the conspicuous exceptions were shippings and such specialties as motors, tobaccos, sugars and the utilities, those issues sustaining extreme recessions of 1 to 2 points for more or less specific reasons.

The satisfactory annual report of the United States Steel Corporation, the decision of the Federal authorities to render timely assistance to the New Haven Railroad and the increased commodity rates granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with its recent decision were among the factors which furnished a degree of confidence.

Early gains of 1 to 2¼ points in rails and equipments were cancelled in the freer selling of the last hour, leaving the list somewhat unsettled at the active close.

Sales amounted to 350,000 shares.

Dealings in bonds were more diversified, assuming international scope by reason of the weakness of French municipals and the strength of Tokio 5's, the latter gaining 2 5-8 points on fairly large transactions.

Liberty issues were irregular, the only special change in that group being an advance of 3½'s to 99, a new maximum for the current movement. Total sales of bonds (par value) aggregated $7,250,000. United States bonds (old issues) were unchanged on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales March 28, 1918	$ 6,983,000
Same day of week last year	2,940,000
From January 1 to date	304,785,000
Same period in 1917	356,551,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales March 28, 1918	334,982 shares
Same day of week last year	449,300 shares
From January 1 to date	32,256,710 shares
Same period in 1917	44,227,800 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75	4.76 7-16
Paris	5 12¼	5.11
Belgium	5.77	5.77
Peking	115.00	115.25
Shanghai	109.00	109.25
Greece	19.40	19.45
Holland	40.00	40.50
Bombay	35.75	36.25
Calcutta	35.75	36.25
Italy	5.73	5 12¼
Japan	51.75	51.87
Yokohama	51.75	51.75
Manila	49.75	50.00
Singapore	74.00	74.50
Stockholm	35.35	35.75
Copenhagen	30.75	31.25
Christiania	31.50	32.00

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mercantile paper, four and six months, 6 per cent. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4 72¼; commercial, sixty-day bills on banks, 4 71¾; commercial, sixty-day bills, 4 71¾; cables, 4 76 7-16. Bar silver, 92½. Mexican dollars, 74. Government and railroad bonds irregular. Time loans firm; sixty and ninety days, 6; six months, 5½; one year, 5. Call money firm; high, 6; low, 5½; ruling rate, 6; closing bid, 5½; offered at 6; last loan, 6.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Following are the closing prices, asked, and bids and low quotations today:

Sales—	High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
100 Alaska	12¾	12¾	12¾	...
100 Allis-Chalmers	24½	24	24½	...
100 Atlantic C. L.			90½	...
2,000 At. G. & W. I.	106½	104	104½	...
200 Am. Car & Fdy.	84½	84	84½	...
Do. pfd.			114	...
1,100 Am. Can.	55¼	54¼	54¾	...
Do. pfd.			114	...
1,400 Am. Cot. Co.	41¼	40¾	40¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
1,600 Am. Beet Sugar.	48½	47	47	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
400 Am. Cotton Oil.	35½	35½	35½	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Am. Ice Sec.			12¾	...
Am. Express.			120	...
Am. Hide & L.	18	17½	17½	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Am. Int. Corp.			42	...
100 Am. Linseed.	73½	71½	71½	...
2,700 Am. Locomotive	62½	61	61½	...
Do. pfd.			101	...
2,100 Am. Steel Fdy.	63	62¼	62¾	...
1,200 Am. S. & R.	77¾	105	105	104½
1,700 Am. Sugar.	101½	100	100¾	...
Do. pfd.			114	...
4,100 Am. Smelting.	85½	84½	84¾	...
Am. Steel Fdy.			90	...
4,100 Am. T. & T. Co.	106½	104½	104¾	...
Am. Tob. Co.	123	121	121½	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Am. W. P. pfd.			90	...
600 Am. Woolen.	51¼	50¾	50¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Am. Zinc & L.			27	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
10,800 Anaconda.	70¾	69¼	69¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
2,700 Atch. & Pfd.	83	82	82	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
500 Balt. & Ohio.	79¼	78¾	78¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
100 Barn. & F. Cap.	19¾	19¾	19¾	...
B. R. T.			90	...
3,500 Canadian Pac.	138¾	136¾	137¾	...
200 Chino C.	49¾	49	49	...
1,200 C. & O.	61¾	61	61	...
1,000 Central Leather	64¾	63¾	63¾	...
Do. pfd.			103	...
Central of N. J.			230	...
Chandler Mot.			90	...
Chicago & Alton			90	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
100 Chile Copper.	15	15	15	...
C. & G. W.			90	...
200 C. R. I. & P.	25½	25½	25½	...
2,300 C. & N. W.	92	91¾	91¾	...
Do. pfd.			120	...
100 C. C. C. & St. L.	70½	70½	70½	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
3,500 Colo. Fuel & I.	34¾	34	34	...
Colo. Southern.			37¾	...
Do. 1st pfd.			90	...
Do. 2nd pfd.			90	...
100 Columbia Gas.	61	60½	60½	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
7,500 Cons. Products.	26¾	26¼	26¼	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
4,700 Cons. Gas.	97¾	96¾	96¾	...
Cons. Int. pfd.			90	...
1,400 Corn Products.	25¼	24¾	24¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
1,800 Crucible Steel.	72¾	71	72¾	...
400 Del. & Hudson.	128	126½	126½	...
1,000 Del., L. & W.	178	176	176	...
D. & R. G.			17	...
Do. pfd.			41	...
7,600 Distilling Sec.	41¾	40	40¾	...
100 E. & A.	78	78	78	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
200 Erie.	17	16¾	16¾	...
1,100 Do. 1st pfd.	28	27¾	27¾	...
Do. 2nd pfd.			90	...
F. W. & R. G.			90	...
100 F. W. & R. G. pfd.	21½	21½	20	...
6,000 Gen. Mot.	117¾	114	117	...
100 Gen. Mot. pfd.	80½	80½	80	...
Do. Rod.			42½	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
600 Gt. Nor. pfd.	80¾	80¾	80¾	...
500 Gt. Nor. Ore.	29¾	29¾	29¾	...
500 Gt. N. Or. Ctfs.	29¾	29¾	29¾	...
Gulf States St'l.			87	...
Do. 1st pfd.			90	...
600 Haskell Barker.	83¾	83¾	83¾	...
100 Illinois Central.	98	98	98	...
1,400 Insp. Cop. Co.	45¾	45	45	...
1,600 In. Alcohol.	122¾	121¾	122	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Int. Harv. com.			113¾	...
Int. Harv. pfd.			90	...
1,600 Int. Mer.	28¼	28	27¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
600 Int'l Paper.	29¾	28¾	29¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
600 Int'l Mer. Con.	7	6	6¾	...
Do. pfd.	43	41	41¾	...
8,700 Int'l Marine.	25	23¾	24¾	...
22,800 Do. pfd.	92¾	89¾	89¾	...
Do. Consol.			17	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
100 Kan. City South.	16	16	16¼	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
1,600 Kenn. Copper.	30¾	30¼	30¾	...
200 Lackawanna Steel.	48	47¾	47¾	...
100 L. N. R.	113¾	113¾	113¾	...
Lac. Gas con.			90	...
Lac. Gas Tren.			90	...
200 Lehigh Val.	58	57¾	58	...
Liggett & Myers.			165	...
200 Do. pfd.	104	103¾	104	...
Lorillard Tob.			110	...
100 Do. pfd.	104½	104½	102	...
Louis. & Nash.			118¾	...
Manhattan.			42½	...
Marine Consol.			20¾	...
1,100 Midvale Steel.	44¾	44¼	44¾	...
100 Minn. & St. L.	9¾	9¾	9¾	...
Do. 1st pfd.			22	...
M., St. P. & S. S. M.			90	...
Do. pfd.			106	...
100 Mo., Kan. & T.	4¾	4¾	4¾	...
200 Do. pfd.	26¾	26¾	26¾	...
Mont. Pow. com.			90	...
Nat. Acme.			90	...
800 Missouri Pacific.	21¾	21¾	21¾	...
Do. pfd.			84	...
National Enam.	54½	54	54	...
Do. pfd.			100	...
National Lead.			90	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
600 National Enam.	49	47	48¼	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
100 Nevada Con.	19	18	18¾	...
N. Y. Airbrake.			72	...
1,400 N. Y. Central.	70¼	69¼	70¼	...
N. Y. C. & St. L.			16	...
Do. 1st pfd.			90	...
Do. 2nd pfd.			90	...
4,300 N. Y., N. H. & H.	30¾	29¾	29¾	...
600 Norfolk & West.	104½	104	104	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
North American.			90	...
900 Northern Pac.	85½	85½	84¾	...
3,200 Ohio City Gas.	87¾	87	87	...
200 Ontario Silver.	7¾	7¼	7¾	...
Owens Bottle.			85¾	...
Do. pfd.			100¾	...
Pacific Mail.			30	...
Pan. Am. Pet.			90	...
Do. pfd.			70	...
100 Penn.	50¼	50¼	50¼	...
100 Pierce Arrow. pfd.	80¾	80¾	80¾	...
200 Pittsburgh Coal.	42¾	42	42¾	...
200 Do. pfd.	92¾	92¾	92¾	...
1,700 Pitts. Coal.	60	60	60¼	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
P.C.C. & St. L.			90	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Pond Creek.			90	...
100 Pullman.	112¾	112¾	113¾	...
400 Ry. Steel Springs.	51¾	51¼	51¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
18,100 Reading.	87	86¾	86¾	...
100 Do. 1st pfd.	37	37	34¾	...
Do. 2nd pfd.			90	...
Rep. Iron & S.	74¾	73¾	73¾	...
200 Do. pfd.	97¾	97	96¾	...
100 Royal Dutch.	98	98	98	...
400 Do. pfd.	55¼	55	54¾	...
Royal Typewriter.			90	...
Ray Con.			11¾	...
Ray Con. pfd.			90	...
Republic I. & S.			90	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
600 Do. pfd.	19	17¾	17¾	...
Sears-Roebuck.			142	...
Sinclair Oil.			90	...
5,400 Standard Oil.	29¾	28¾	28¾	...
Stat. Con.			18	...
100 Stan. R. & T. Co.	50	50	50	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Stl. & I. F. com.			90	...
Stl. & I. F. pfd.			90	...
Stl. & W.			18	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Stromberg A. L.			90	...
600 Do. pfd.	19	17¾	17¾	...
Studebaker.			90	...
Sears-Roebuck.			142	...
1,200 Submarine.	21	20	20	...
1,200 Southern.	20	20	20	...
1,200 Southern Ry.	22¾	22¾	22¾	...
Mt. Lowe Railway.			90	...
26,100 Studebaker com.	40¾	39¾	40¾	...
Studebaker pfd.			90	...
Submarine Boat.			10	...
600 Texas Co.	147¾	146¾	146¾	...
2,000 Texas Pac.	14¾	14¾	14¾	...
Third Transcontinental.			90	...
3,600 Tobacco Prod.	50¼	49¾	49¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
Twin City R. T.			90	...
U. S. & H. & W.			90	...
U. S. 4s pfd.			90	...
2,700 Union Pacific.	120¾	118¾	119¾	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
2,400 Utah Copper.	77¾	76¾	77¾	...
Utah Securities.			90	...
3,100 U. S. Rubber.	65¼	64¼	64¾	...
Do. 1st pfd.	107	107	107	...
100 United Prod.	122	122	122	...
U. S. Ind. Alc.			90	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
U. S. C. Iron P.			12	...
U. S. Express.			90	...
U. S. R. & Con.			90	...
U. S. Rubber.			90	...
Do. 1st pfd.			90	...
60,200 U. S. Ind. Corp.	69½	68¾	68¾	...
200 Do. pfd.	100¾	100¾	100¾	...
U. S. Smelting.			47	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
800 Va.-Car. Chem.	41	41	41	...
Do. pfd.			90	...
100 Va. Coal & C.	66	65	65	...
200 Wabash.	7¾	7¾	7¾	...
1,100 Do. pfd. "A".	41	40	39¾	...
Westinghouse.			50¾	...
Wells-Fargo Ex.			90	...
Western Union.			90	...
500 Westinghouse.	40¾	40¼	40¼	...
Do. 1st pfd.			90	...
Do. 2nd pfd.			90	...
West. Md. com.			90	...
West. Md. pfd.			90	...
W. & L. E.			90	...
Do. 1st pfd.			90	...
Wheeling & L. E.			90	...
1,100 Willys-Overland.	17¾	17¼	17¾	...
100 Do. pfd.	82¾	82¾	82¾	...
Wisconsin Cen.			90	...
100 Woolworth.	111	111	111	...
Worthington pfd.			90	...
17,600 Beth. St'l.	90¾	89¾	90	...
600 Beth. St'l. New.	101¾	101	101¾	...
Kelly Springs.			41	...
Do. pfd.			75	...

L. A. STOCK EXCHANGE ISSUES ANNUAL REPORT

BUSINESS IN 1917 EXCEEDS ANY PREVIOUS TOTAL BY FIVE MILLION DOLLARS.

The annual report of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange for the year 1917 was given out yesterday by President F. H. Pettingell in the form of a very handsome book full of quotations and information concerning local stocks, of interest to the investors of Southern California in particular. In keeping with the times the exchange has an honor roll with seven names so far, six of whom are in the army and one in the navy. A handsome cut of the proposed new building to be located on South Spring street, close to Seventh, is on the inside of the fly leaf.

The figures of last year's business total in the aggregate $15,914,-125.84, over $5,000,000 above the previous highest year's business. From the outlook for this year up to the present the total business will be much greater as the trading on the exchange is steadily growing heavier as the public learns of the advantages offered by its facilities. The recapitulation shows the oil list leading in value of securities and the mining list in number of shares. The figures are as follows:

RECAPITULATION.

	Shares.	Values.
Bonds	1,203	$ 668,676.13
Banks	659	220,586.00
Industrials	209,652	901,955.73
Oils	1,570,300	11,525,845.00
Mining	9,750,062	2,511,069.98
	11,578,006	$15,914,132.84

Oil-Stock Quotations.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Caribou, 1.50 asked; Globe, 2.90; Jade, 66¢; Mascot, 1.42½; National Pacific, 34¢; New Penn. Petroleum, 20¢ asked; North American Oil Con., 40 asked; Palmer Union, 7¢; Palmer Union, preferred, 25¢; Rex Ranch, 1.35 asked; Sterling, 1.50 asked.

Sugar Quotations.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 4.00c. Fine granulated, 7.45.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, March 29, 1918.

Bank clearings yesterday were $4,074,607.08, a decrease of $1,475,185.88, as compared with corresponding day last year.

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Monday	$5,400,132.92	$4,140,951.80	$4,402,143.02
Tuesday	5,108,208.83	4,716,937.24	3,690,705.87
Wed'day	3,987,608.28	5,322,118.52	3,819,972.06
Thursday	4,074,607.08	5,549,792.96	2,859,738.98

OATMAN LIST ACTIVE; UNION OIL ADVANCES.

LIGHT TRADING YESTERDAY ON LOCAL EXCHANGE, SUNNYSIDE MINING IN DEMAND.

Again the Oatman list was the chief object of interest in an otherwise dull and inactive market yesterday on the Stock Exchange. Sunnyside mining was the most active stock within the neighborhood of 20,000 shares changing hands at prices around 4¼. The opening sale for Sunnyside was 4¼, low at the same figure, high at 4¾, closing at 4¾ with ½ asked. Gold Ore opened at 42 was low at 41 and closed at 41½ with 42 asked. Tom Reed opened at 2.04 sold down to 2.02 and closed at this figure with 2.05 asked.

In the oil list Union as usual claimed the attention of the majority of investors. Union opened at 103.00 and gained ¾ point. Central Oil sold at .80 and National Pacific at .03½. Union Bonds sold at 89½, which completed the trading of the oil list.

Oatman has been a life saver to the exchange for the past two or three months and has furnished the only real excitement for some time. With the Tom Reed strike and the Gold Ore mine becoming a producer at the same time things were lively for a while, but seem to have quieted down. Rumors from the Arizona camp to the effect that unlooked for values are showing up at the Gold Ore mill may stimulate the mining list again and they do say the story is not all yet told concerning Tom Reed and United Eastern. The "live ones" have their ears to the ground and are anxiously awaiting for further encouraging developments. Sunnyside has been unusually active this week, but just why, we do not know as yet.

LOCAD CLOSING.

[Following were the closing prices and sales, as posted yesterday at the Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Citizens' National Bank	$250.00	
Commercial National		$180.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	200.00	220.00
First National	220.00	
Guarantee Tr. & Sav.		260.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.		135.00
Hibernian Savings Bank	130.00	
Liberty Savings Bank	122.50	
Merchants' National		199.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	345.00	367.50
U. S. National Bank	155.00	

BOND LIST.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.		100¼
Associated Oil Co., 1st Reg.	$ 99½	100¼
California Delta Farms		101
Home Telephone & Co.		93
Home Tel. Co., 1st Reg.		89
L. A. Pacific 1st Con. Stpd.	81¾	82
L. A. & Pacific Trac. Stpd.	83	85
L. A. Public Market Co.		105
L. A. Railway Co.	93	
L. A. & S. L. R. Corp., Ser.		75
Mission Trust, A. & R. Co.		100
Mt. Lowe Railway		70
Nationas Co. of California		72
Pacific Electric Railway Co.	72	73
Pacific Light & Power Co.	87	90
Pacific Light & Power Gld.	87	90
Pasadena Home & T. Co.	92	94
Pond Transcontinental Co.		100
Union Oil Co.	89¼	90
Union Transportation Co.	100	101
U. S. Ld. T. & T. Co.		70

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Delta Farms	$ 48.00	$ 50.00
California Hospital		60.00
Consolidated Realty Co.	42.00	
Eldorado Stage Co., pfd.	.34	.55
Eldorado Stage Co., com.	.20¾	81.00
Emergency Hospital	5.00	.32
L. L. Investment Co.	.30	
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	125.00	215.00
Pacific Mutual Life Ins. Co.	450.00	
St. Joaquin L. & P. Corp., pfd.	70.00	5.00
St. Joaquin L. & P. Corp., com.		
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	86.00	87.00
So. Cal. Edison com.	82.00	84.00
Sun Spring Co.	.50	
Title I. & Tr. Co.	150.00	200.00
Union Sugar Co.	37.75	

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 48.00	
Associated Oil	99.00	$ 99.50
Brookshire Oil	.05	.07½
Central	.75	.80
Consolidated	1.00	1.10
Continental Oil	.05½	
Enos Oil Co.	.05	.06
Fullerton Oil	2.25	2.35
General Petroleum com.	86.00	86.50
Globe	2.02½	2.07½
Jade Oil Co.	.06	.07½
Mascot Oil Co.	1.40	1.50
Midway Northern	.18	.21½
Mt. Diablo O. M. & D. Co.	1.20	1.25
National Pacific Oil Co.	.03½	.03½
New Peninsula Pet. Co.	.20	.25
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)	.23	
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.35	
Shrader's Oil Co.	47.00	61.00
Union	103.00	103.25
United Oil Co.	.12¾	.13¼
West Coast Oil pfd.		80.00
Western Union	96.00	102.00
White Star Oil Co.	.03	

MINING LIST.

Oatman District—	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Mining Co.	$ .01½	$ .02½
Arizona Tom Reed	.03½	.04½
Argo Mines	.04½	.05
Bonanza Cons.		.02½
Gold Dust	.05	.10
Gold Ore Mining Co.	.41¼	.43
Gold Reed Bonanza	.05	.08
Lucky Boy	.02	
Mammoth Mining	.03½	.04½
Sunnyside Mining	4.75	5.00
Tom Reed	2.02	2.05
United Eastern	12½	4.02¼
United Northern	.01½	.02
Other Districts—		
Bon Gold Mining	.50	
Bonita Mining Co.	4.25	4.50
Jerome Portland	.18	.21
Mammoth Co., of Cal. pfd.	.15	.20
Oro Amigo	.05	.06
Yellow Pine	1.15	1.25

SALES.

Morning session: 10 Gold Ore Mining at .42; 1 $50 Liberty Bond 1st 3½s at 99¼; 18 $100 Liberty Bonds 2nd 4s at 95¾; 11 $50 do. at 96¼; 1 $100 Liberty Bond Conv. 4s at 96¾; 1 $100 do. at 97; 500 National Pacific Oil at .03½; 5000 Sunnyside Mining at .04½; 7000 do. at .04¾; 1000 do. at .04½; 2000 do. at .04¾; 100 Tom Reed at 2.04; 700 do. at 2.05; 17 Union Oil at 103.00; 5 do. at 103.25; 1 do. Rct., at 103.75; 1 $1000 Union Oil bond at 89½.

Afternoon session: 50 Central at .80; 1000 Gold Ore Mining at .41; 500 do. at .42; 1 $50 Liberty Bond 1st 3½s at 99¼; 1 $500 Liberty Bond 1st 3½s at 99¼; 2 $50 do. at 99¼; 2 $100 do. at 99¼; 1 $50 do. at 96¾; 4 at 96¾; 1 $100 do. at 96¾; 1 $50 do. at 96¾; 1 $100 do. at 96¾; 1 $50 Liberty Bond 1st 4s at 96¾; 1 $100 do. at 96¾; 122 National Pacific Oil at .01¾; 5000 do. at .03½; 5000 Sunnyside at .04¾; 1000 do. at .04½; 2000 do. at .04¾; 800 do. at 2.03; 5 Union Oil at 103.25.

Informal: 1000 Gold Ore Mining at .42; 1000 Tom Reed at 2.05; 200 United Eastern, 8. 5, at 4.75.

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

BOSTON, March 28.—Closing quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Industrials—		
Air Reduc.	79	80
Aetna Exp.	8¼	8¾
Chevrolet	114	117
Curtis Aero.	23	31
Holly	40	50
Do. pfd.	92	98
Lake Tor.	3	3¼
Mex. Mot.	4¾	5
Submarine	12½	13¼
United M.	26¾	26¾
U. S. Steamship	4¾	5
Wright-M.	7	7½
Oils—		
Barnett	15-16	⅞
Boston Wyo	20	22
Cushing	6¾	7
Elk Basin	6¾	6¾
Fed. Oil	2¾	3
Glenrock	2¾	3
Mat. Pet.	9-16	⅝
Merritt Oil	18¼	18¾
Mex. Pet.	100	104
Midwest O.	96	97
Tex. pfd.	14	14½
Northwest	65	68
O. F. & R.	6¾	6¾
Okmulgee	8¾	8¾
Rainbow	8¾	9¾
Minings—		
Big Ledge	1	1 1-16
Butte & N. Y.	⅝	1

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Cal. & J.	1¼	1¾
Caledonia	60	62
Can. Con.	1 11-16	2
Con. Ariz.	1 15-16	2
Cons. Cop.	5¾	5¾
Cons. Daly	5¾	6
Emma Cop.	3-16	¼
G. Monster.	6-16	⅝
Hecla	4¾	4¾
Howe S.	4	4¼
Iron Blos.	7-16	½
J. Cr. Min.	6-16	⅝
Kerr Lake.	5¼	5¾
Magma Cop.	25	25½
Mason Val.	4¾	5¼
Motherlode, old	26	28
new	3¾	3¾
Nipissing	8¾	8¾
Ohio Cop.	5	15-16
Ray Hern.	4	4¼
Stewart	3-16	¼
Scratch G.	¼	⅜
Success	12	14
Tono. Ex.	1 7-16	1½
U. Eastern.	4¾	5
U. V. Ex.	37¾	38
Yerrington	5¾	6¼
Porphyry	70	75
Rump M.	2¾	3¼
Rice Glud.	15	17

—No dividend.

NEVADA MINE STOCKS: SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Following are sales and closing quotations:

Sales	Goldfield District—	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
500	Atlanta	.10	.11
	Blue Bell	.01	.02
1,000	Blue Bull Ry.	.01	.02
	Booth Ry.	.05	.06
	C. C. O. D.	.02	.03
	Combination Fraction	.02	.03
	Cracker Jack	.01	.02
	Diamondfield B. B. Ry.	.01	.02
	Diamondfield Daisy		.03
	Florence	.12	.13
3,500	Goldfield Con. Mines	.25	.26
6,000	Goldfield Merger	.02	.03
	Grandma	.02	.03
	Great Bend R. I.	.05	.06
	Jumbo Extension	.13	.14
5,000	Jumbo Junior	.03	.04
	Kendall	.04	.05
	N. G. Sm.	.01	.02
44,000	Red Hills	.01	.02
	Sandy Ken	.01	.02
	S. P. Con.	.03	.04
2,000	Sportsman Gold	.03	.04
	Yellow Tiger		.01
	Tonopah District—		
	Belmont	3.00	
57,500	C. K. Con.	.12	.13
	Gipsy Queen	.01	.02
	Great Western	.04	.05
	Halifax	.10	
	Jim Butler	.58	.61
	Montana	.11	.12
	Mid. Con.	.07	.09
	Mizpah Extension	.05	.07
	Montana Pittsburgh	.05	.06
	Montana	.11	.13
	North Star	.04	.05
	Rescue Eula	.07	.08
	Tonopah Extension	1.47½	1.50
	Tonopah of Nevada		2.50
	Tonopah 76 Con.		.04
	Unatilla		.01
2,300	West End	.75	.78
	Oatman District—		
	Argo	.03	
	Gold Ore	.42	
7,000	Gold Roads Bonanza	.05	.06
	Lazy Boy		.02
	Lucky Boy	.01	.02
	Nellie	.05	.06
	Oatman Combination	.01	
	Unified	.07	.08
	United Eastern	4.62½	
	Other Districts—		
	N. C. Point	.05	.06
	Nevada Hills		.03
	Nevada Pack		.23
	Rochester	.23	.24
1,000	Rochester Merger	.02	.04
1,000	Round Mountain	.24	.25
1,000	Manhattan Con.	.09	.10
	Manhattan Red Top	.01	.02
4,000	Man. White Caps	.03	.04
7,000	Man. Union Amalg.	.04	.05
	Manhattan Big Four	.02	.04
1,000	Man. Morning Glory	.02	.03

California Dried Fruit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 28.—Evaporated apples nominal. Prunes firm. Apricots and peaches quiet. Raisins steady.

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Stephens & Co., second floor Merchants' National Bank

Market Abroad.

NEW YORK OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS

[Furnished by A. M. Cruz & Co., No. 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]
NEW YORK, March 28.—Closing quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.		Close— Bid.	Ask.
Angle	12¼	13¼	Plymo Oil	20	21
Atl. Ref.	815	840	Prairie	255	260
Aztec	415	420	Prairie Pipe	190	195
Borden	92	95	Solar	170	175
Chicago	210	220	Stan. Oil Bay.	1000	1010
Colonial	10	11	Stan. Oil Ind.	1000	1010
Continental	430	440	Stan. Oil Ky.	1000	1010
Crescent	39	41	Stan. Oil Neb.	1000	1010
Cosmopolitan	125	130	Stan. Oil N. Y.	1000	1010
Eureka	135	137	Stan. Oil Ohio	1000	1010
Galena	1150	1157	Stan. Oil Pa.	1000	1010
Int. Petr.	12¾	13	Stan. Oil Tex.	1000	1010
Int. Petr. pfd.	87½	88½	Texas Co.	1000	1010
Kan. & Tex.	190	195	Union Tank	1000	1010
Mex. Petr.	190	195	Vacuum	1000	1010
Midwest Refg.	2.25	2.30	Vacuum & Pr.	1000	1010
Mountain	2.25	2.30	Vulcan	1000	1010
Nat. Fuel	1000	1010	Waitt & Bond	1000	1010
Nat. Petr.	1000	1010	Wilcox Oil	1000	1010
Nat. Refg.	1000	1010	Wyoming	1000	1010
Nat. Transit	12¾	13¼			
N. Y. Transit	1000	1010			
Ohio Oil	1000	1010			
Penn. Mex.	1000	1010			
Prairie Oil	1000	1010			
Prairie Pipe	1000	1010			

CLOSING PRICES ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE SERVICE.]
CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 28.
—Closing prices on the Chicago Stock Exchange today:

American Shipbuilding	
Booth Fisheries	
C. C. & C. Railways	
Chicago Pneumatic Tool	
Commonwealth Edison	
Deere & Co. pfd.	
Diamond Match	
Hartman Corporation	
Lindsay Light	
Montgomery-Ward pfd.	
Peoples Gas	
Quaker Oats pfd.	
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...ng the height of the pea ... continues to decline, sell... today from 5½ to 6½c. ...ly still on the down grade ...ions have no further ex... ...ing their weight in silver ...der of "French fried," as ... selling yesterday from ...35 for Northern Bur... from $1.20 to $1.25 for ... Idaho Russets. Oregon ... remain firm at $2.75. ...ish prices continue to ad... ...no doubt to the late ...ed as unusual feature is ...the California meat prices ...e higher than along the ...eyard. Generally it is ...ry round.

...gs weakened a cent ...d apples were unusually ...e list of receipts. Figures ...ollow: 795 cases of eggs, ...ds of butter, 4450 pounds ...1701 sacks of potatoes, ...f beans and 4214 boxes of ...

BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

...ttter extras, Produce Exchange ...per lb.; price to retail mer... ...ers, 43½@44½c per lb.; price ...ers 1 lb. cartons, 44@45c per lb. ...ers, Produce Exchange closing ...s; price to retail merchants, 41 ...; Pierce Exchange ...ng per doz.; price to retail mer... ...per doz.; pullets, Produce Ex... ...@38 per doz.; price to retail ...@40 per doz.

PRICES CURRENT.

...ples fresh, 25; eastern tacha... ...ers, 2½; eastern longhorns, 20; ...ern veal, block Swiss, 37; block Limburger, 25@26.

...ruits, sacks, 4.25@8.00; ...ranges, 2.75; lemons, 3.25; limes, 75 ...100 per; loganes, 11. ...ruits, Produce Exchange ...2@2.25; Spitzenberg, 1.65@2.25; Yel... ...Newtown, 1.50@2.25; Jonathan, 2.25 ...ng; 2.00 per box.

...ruits, Produce Exchange ...ons, 2.50; bunch bana... ...ts, 15 lbs., 2.50; pineapples, 2.50; ...ts, 15 lbs., 2.50; pineapples, 50 doz.; ...ts, 15 lbs., 2.50; pineapples, 50 doz.; ...ts, 15 lbs., 2.50; pineapples, 50 doz.

Serious.

DRASTIC WHEAT RULES LOOMING.

Situation Critical, Says Cole, Back from Conference.

Flour Famine Near if Public Does not Conserve.

Bakers Who Advertise Bread Severely Condemned.

Returning from a meeting of the city and county Food Administrators of the State held last Wednesday in San Francisco; City Food Administrator Cole yesterday said that undoubtedly there would be more drastic orders issued in the near future for the conservation of wheat products.

Practically the only subject discussed at the meeting in the Bay City was the wheat situation. The seriousness of the present outlook was laid before the members present, and all were urged to do everything in their power to show the people of thei respective communities that a more consistent wheat saving must be had, or the wheat flour now on hand will not last until the fall harvest.

Mr. Cole also stated that the problem of wheat product saving in the homes was now in the hands of Mrs. Robert Burdette of Pasadena, head of the Women's Committee of the State Administration. Mrs. Burdette will, within a few days, bring before all the clubs and women's organizations in the State plans for a consistent wheat saving programme in the home.

Reports have arrived in the office of the local administration that several of the bakers in the city are making a practice of advertising bread which is a day old. In one place, a bakery which had fifty loaves left from the day before had placed a sign on the pile, "Day Old Bread, 11 cents." This was done with the best of intentions as the keeper thought it better to sell it than to have it wasted. However, it is a violation of the rule that no bread may be advertised with the price. The solution which Mr. Cole offered to such cases was that clerks in the store should tell customers who ask for a loaf of bread, that they have bread a day old, and then state the price.

HERE ARE FAIR FOOD PRICES.

Quotations Show What You Should Pay Today for Things to Eat.

The following official quotations on foodstuffs, fixed by the Los Angeles Fair Price Committee of the Food Administration as neither a minimum nor a maximum, but as constituting a fair price for the commodities named, are now in effect:

Potatoes—Fancy Highlands, 100 pounds, wholesale, $1.30-$1.40; retail, 1⅝-1¾ cents per pound; fancy locals, 100 pounds, wholesale, $1.20-$1.30; retail, 1¼-1¾ cents per pound; fancy Idaho, wholesale, $1.25-$1.35; retail, 1½-1¾ cents per pound.

Onions—Fancy Browns, 100 pounds, wholesale, $.90-$1.00; retail, 1¾-2 cents per pound.

Flour — First, family, 49 pounds, wholesale, $2.75; retail, $3; 24½ pounds, wholesale, $1.40; retail, $1.55.

Corn meal—10 pounds, yellow, wholesale, 64 cents; retail, 77 cents; white, wholesale, 71 cents; retail, 85 cents.

Sugar — Granulated, 100-pound sack, wholesale, $7.65; retail, 5 pounds, 43 cents.

Bread—24-ounce, wholesale, 12 cents; retail, 14 cents; 16 ounces, wholesale, 8 cents; retail, 10 cents.

Butter—Creamery, extra, 1-pound carton, wholesale, 44-45 cents; retail, 49-50 cents.

Oleomargarine—Best grades, per pound, wholesale, 32-33⅓ cents; retail, 35-37 cents.

Eggs—Extra selected, dozen, wholesale, 41-42 cents; retail, 44-47 cents; selected, dozen, wholesale, 37-38 cents; retail, 40-42 cents.

To be Continued.

ROSEWATER TO PRESS CHARGE.

Case Against E. T. Earl to go to Higher Court.

Instructed Verdict Returned for the Publisher.

Allegations of Alleged Fake Figures Repeated.

"I brought some very grave charges against Mr. Earl on the basis of misrepresentation, but he came back and said these charges are merely malicious and that the newspapers were not the place to hear his side of my suit. He was anxious to have a full and fair presentation of all the facts in the courts, but not in the newspapers. His whole course since then has been to prevent the presentation of any facts, and this has been carried out in a policy to suppress the facts that would show the status of his circulation and his methods of doing business. We shall carry the matter through to the higher court in a fight to a finish. There is no question in the minds of my attorneys that we have a cause of action. The facts warrant the contention that I was seriously damaged, and through fraudulent misrepresentation, as I allege."

Charles C. Rosewater, employed and discharged by E. T. Earl, made this statement yesterday at the conclusion of court proceedings before Judge Monroe, which resulted in an instructed verdict in favor of Mr. Earl in Mr. Rosewater's suit for $31,642 damages. The verdict was returned by a jury of five obtained from the courtroom and corridors.

The case, on the 11th inst., was submitted on briefs on the question that the complaint did not state a cause of action on the ground of fraud. The attorneys were notified that Judge Monroe was ready to decide the matter and came into court yesterday morning. The motion of Mr. Earl's attorneys to exclude all testimony on the ground that the complaint did not state a cause of action on fraud, was granted by Judge Monroe.

Arthur Veitch, representing Mr. Rosewater, won his point to call witnesses. With the five jurors in the box, Mr. Rosewater was called and gave his name, but any further testimony was met by the objections of Mr. Earl's attorneys, E. A. Meserve and Will Anderson. The court sustained the objections, and Mr. Rosewater retired. The instructed verdict was then given by the court.

Mr. Veitch's purpose in calling a witness was for the purpose of effecting an appeal. Judge Monroe, commenting on the case, stated that Mr. Rosewater abandoned a good cause of action and elected to go on with another one for the purpose of publicity.

HIS CHARGES.

Mr. Rosewater was employed as manager of the Earl papers following the receipt of a letter from Mr. Earl to the manager of the Omaha Bee, under date of December 16, 1916. In this letter Mr. Earl said he was looking for an all-around man for his Express and Tribune. Mr. Rosewater arrived in Los Angeles on February 1, 1917, and he alleged that Mr. Earl began a campaign of false and fraudulent representations about the circulation advertising and financial condition of the Express and Tribune and Rural World, and that through this misrepresentation Mr. Rosewater said he was induced to terminate all his business connections in the Middle West at a great financial sacrifice and enter into a written contract calling for a weekly salary of $200 and 20 per cent. of all net profits.

The circulation of the Express was represented to him, Mr. Rosewater alleged, as more than 60,000, when, as a matter of fact, it was less than 40,000; the circulation of the Tribune was said to be 58,000, and was less than 40,000. Mr. Rosewater further alleged that the circulation, alleged as genuine and bona fide, was not genuine and acceptable circulation, according to the standards of the Audit Bureau of Circulation of the United States.

"WRONG PRACTICES."

In fact, he said, it was subject to a discount of about 30 per cent. because of illicit and illegitimate circulation practices, such practices having been in effect at the time of Mr. Rosewater's employment, "and owing to the unwillingness of the defendant to permit the correction of such circulation figures, it still remains to a large extent."

It was further alleged that in order to induce Mr. Rosewater to enter into a contract Mr. Earl made false, fraudulent and misleading representations that the net loss of his publications for the year 1916 were as follows: Express, $55,963.-03; Daily Tribune, $207,377.77; Sunday Tribune, $22,328.24; Rural World, $14,776.47; total, $275,-393.89.

Mr. Rosewater alleged that these figures did not represent a full and correct total of the net loss for the reason that it did not include rebates for alleged fake circulation nor include the money rebated to advertisers, nor take into consideration the matter of the "dead" circulation of about 20,000 on the Express and 20,000 dead circulation on the Tribune. If these matters had been fully disclosed to him, Mr. Rosewater stated he would have refused to enter Mr. Earl's employment.

COMPLIMENTS CADETS.

Adjutant-General Visits Camp of High School Boys At Arcadia.

The high school cadets' camp at Arcadia was reviewed yesterday by Adjt.-Gen. Boree and Gov. Stephens. After the review the Adjutant-General said it was the finest exhibition of hight school military maneuvers he had witnessed, and he highly complimented the boys on the fine showing they made.

Accompanied by Gov. Stephens, he leaves this morning for Camp Kearny, where the review of the Fortieth Division, National Army, will be held this afternoon.

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Miss Mildred Scopen, strapped on the stretcher.

This unusual picture was taken at the door of the Courthouse yesterday as Miss Scopen was being carried to the ambulance from Justice Forbes's courtroom. She was reduced to this condition by the announcement that the man accused of wronging her as few women have been wronged may pay a serious penalty for it.

LOVE OF WOMAN A LOVE THAT PASSES ALL UNDERSTANDING.

"DON'T take him away from me," hysterically screamed 17-year-old Mildred Scopen yesterday in Justice Forbes's courtroom when the court held Steve Piodo to answer on a technical charge.

The young woman became so hysterical at the prospect of her lover going to prison that, strapped to a stretcher, she was removed in an ambulance to the Receiving Hospital, interrupting further court proceedings for half an hour.

Miss Scopen was a comparatively calm listener in the courtroom until Deputy District Attorney Clark brought it to the attention of the court that a further complaint against Piodo, charging abduction and forcing the girl to earn money for him, would be filed by the District Attorney's office before tomorrow. The new charge, it is said, will be lodged at the request of the parents of the girl.

The testimony revealed that Miss Scopen first met Piodo while she was employed at Venice. It is charged that he enticed her to Los Angeles and kept her virtually a prisoner, sending others to visit her and giving these prospective callers a card bearing a cabalistic sign.

Piodo was arrested by Detective McCaulley, who overheard him quarreling on the street with Miss Scopen over a small amount of money, which she had asked for from the earnings she had turned over to him. The detective investigated and took Piodo into custody.

Bitter Fight.

FORMER VENICE MAYOR UP ON BRIBERY CHARGE.

THE trial of E. A. Gerety, Trustee and former Mayor of Venice, accused of having solicited a bribe of $400 from Frank Benedict, a sanitary inspector, ended its first phase late yesterday afternoon in Judge Craig's courtroom when Attorneys Dominguez and Schenck sought to bring an abrupt end to the proceedings by attacking the validity of the indictment.

Argument on the question of the indictment will be resumed this morning when Deputy District Attorneys Shelley and Powell will reply to the contentions of the defense counsel.

Benedict was called to the stand in the afternoon and testified to having met Gerety in the Menotti saloon at Venice, at which Gerety discussed with him his power as a politician.

"He told me," continued Benedict, "that I held the garbage contract and if I cared to continue to do business to send $300 or $400 to his wife. He told me further that he could do me a lot of harm because of his political standing. I told him I could not afford to do this."

C. Y. Burns, former City Clerk, who is under indictment on a charge of having misappropriated city funds, testified that Gerety had requested him to address complaints to the Venice Trustees in regard to the garbage contractor.

The courtroom was crowded when the trial commenced at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. From the manner in which Attorney Dominguez examined each member of the jury panel it became evident that beach politics would be excluded from the trial. Each member was asked if he or she had friends or relatives residing in Venice, or whether he was in the habit of visiting the beach city frequently.

Attorneys for the defense also challenged the jury panel, with regard to women jurors upon the grounds that there has been a material departure from the provisions of the law with reference to impaneling jurors and that the defendant has a constitutional right to select a jury composed entirely of men.

The challenge was denied by the court and the action of the defense counsel evoked a smile from half a dozen women jurors on the panel. Three women were selected, Mrs. Rozella Wetherby, Mrs. Harriet Wright and Mrs. W. J. Lugart.

SIXTY-SIX SUITS NOW CONSOLIDATED.

MUST BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE JUSTICE TO THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Under a ruling of Judge Valentine yesterday, the sixty-six suits filed against the George L. Arnold Company by Attorney Allender in behalf of Ben Cohen, assignee, to recover amounts ranging from $5 to $200 in alleged violation of the money-loaning law, will have to be dismissed in the justice court and consolidated into one suit and tried in the Superior Court.

The ruling came in the suit of the Arnold company against Ben Cohen, alleging that the latter took these assignments for the benefit of a competing company operated by a man formerly in the employ of the Arnold company. A conspiracy is charged to embarrass the Arnold company on the ground that Attorney Allender is threatening to demand a jury for the trial of each of the sixty-six cases in the justice court, thereby increasing the expenses of the litigation for the Arnold company.

As the only question involved is whether the Arnold company is entitled to charge excess interest, this can be determined in one suit before the Superior Court, it was contended. Judge Valentine held that a court in equity has a right, in order to prevent a multiplicity of suits, to merge them into one. He overruled Mr. Cohen's demurrer, the result being to compel him to come into the Superior Court with all of the cases merged into one.

FOR SCHOOL GARDEN.

Approval was given a proposal of C. J. MacCormick to establish a food conservation garden at the Echo Park school by the Board of Education, yesterday. It was through Mr. MacCormick that the site for the garden was obtained and other details arranged.

FOR SERVICES ON MT. RUBIDOUX'S TOP.

Plans for the sunrise Easter services on Mt. Rubidoux were completed yesterday. Mme. Mariska Aldrich, the prima donna, will sing two songs, accompanied by organ and a mixed chorus of 200 voices. Otis Skinner, the dramatic star, who is to appear at the Mason next week, will read Van Dyke's famous "God of the Open Air," the poem which received wide attention when written by this well-known author on the occasion of his first visit to Mt. Rubidoux, four years ago.

Every detail attendant with the comfort of the visitors has been attended to. There will be extra electric and steam car service, the roads are in excellent condition for the motorist, even the highway which leads to the top of the mountain having been repaired and properly rolled.

ONE DETECTIVE HURT, ANOTHER IS ILL.

Detective Sergeant Luis Rico, fell from the street car last evening and was severely injured. He was taken to his home where physicians stated that his condition is critical. Acting Detective Lieutenant Ben McCann was taken to the California Hospital last evening suffering from pneumonia.

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Creels, $1.00 to $5.75
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Hooks, 20c to 70c
Leaders, 5c to 70c
Tyee Salmon Eggs 35c can
Salmon Egg Hooks, 5c to 15c
Fly Books, 50c to $1.00
Split Shot, pck., 2 for 5c & 5c
Bear Valley Spinner, 25c
Landing Net, $2.00 & $2.25
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